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ON THE COVER

"Game Day Locker," by Bill Harpole

SCHEDULE — 1981

Regular Season

Sunday, Sept. 6	OAKLAND, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 13	at Seattle, 1:00 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 20	BALTIMORE, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 27	SAN DIEGO, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 4	at Oakland, 1:00 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 11	DETROIT, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 18	at Kansas City, 3:00 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 25	at Buffalo, 1:00 p.m.
Monday, Nov. 2	MINNESOTA, 7:00 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 8	CLEVELAND, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 15	at Tampa Bay, 1:00 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 22	at Cincinnati, 1:00 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 29	at San Diego, 1:00 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 6	KANSAS CITY 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 13	SEATTLE, 2:00 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 20	at Chicago, 12:00 Noon

All Times Local at Games Sites
Home Games (Mile High Stadium) Capitalized

Pre-Season

Friday, Aug. 7	NEW YORK JETS, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 15	at Miami, 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 22	GREEN BAY, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 29	at Cincinnati, 7:00 p.m.

The Denver Broncos

Executive Offices

5700 Logan Street
Denver, Colorado 80216
Telephone: (303) 623-8778

Training Camp (through Aug. 13)

Corbett Hall
Colorado State University
Fort Collins, Colorado 80251
Telephone: (303) 623-3035 (Denver line)
(303) 493-4882 (Fort Collins line)

Ticket Office

Denver Mile High Stadium
1900 Eliot Street
Denver, Colorado 80204
Telephone: (303) 433-7466

BRONCOS DIRECTORY

ADMINISTRATION

Chairman of the Board	Edgar F. Kaiser, Jr.
Board of Directors	Jack L. Ashby, Howard J. Kellough, Jacqueline R. Nielsen, Hein C. Poulus, George A. Von Peterffy
General Manager	Grady Alderman
Director of Player Personnel	John Beake
Treasurer	Bob Hurley
Director of Public Relations	George McFadden
Ticket Manager	Gail Stuckey
Publicity Director	Jim Saccomano
Equipment Manager	Larry Elliott
Assistant Equipment Manager	Bill Harpole
Head Athletic Trainer	Steve Antonopulos
Assistant Trainers	Ric Pisarcik, Ed Seiler
Director of Photography	Rusty Nail
Superintendent of Facilities	Ronnie Bill
Administrative Assistants ..	Lorraine Dieleman, Yolanda Saltus
Accountants	Beverly Havens, Debbie Christian
Receptionists	Sue Fountain-Reid, Oneta Hollowell
Secretaries	Betty Combs, Judy Rayl
Ticket Assistants	Joan Baker, Cheryl Heyen
Data Processing	Jim Clark
Team Physicians	Dr. Richard D. Talbott, Dr. James F. McElhinney
Team Dentist	Dr. Tony Post

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Dan Reeves (South Carolina, 1965)
Defensive Coordinator	Joe Collier (Northwestern, 1954)
Defensive Line	Stan Jones (Maryland, 1953)
Defensive Backs	Richie McCabe (Pittsburgh, 1955)
Linebackers	Bob Zeman (Wisconsin, 1960)
Receivers	Rod Dowhower (San Diego State, 1965)
Offensive Line	Jerry Frei (Wisconsin, 1948)
Running Backs	Charlie Lee (Northern Arizona, 1967)
Tight Ends	Fran Polsfoot (Washington State, 1950)
Special Teams	Reed Johnson (Colorado, 1961)
Special Assistant	Nick Nicolau (Southern Connecticut State, 1957)

SCOUTING STAFF

Director of Scouting/Chief Scout	Carroll Hardy
College Scouts	Bill Daddio, Hugh Davidson, Jack Hennemier, Lide Huggins, Hank Johnson, Bernie Reid

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

EDGAR F. KAISER, JR. Chairman Of The Board



Edgar F. Kaiser, Jr., 38, is chairman and chief executive officer of Kaiser Resources Ltd., a privately-owned, diversified Canadian energy company, and the parent company of Kaiser Oil U.S. Ltd., headquartered in Denver, Colorado.

He is also a director of the Toronto-Dominion Bank, Daon Development Corporation, B.C. Coal Ltd. and its parent, British Columbia Resources Investment Corporation. In addition, Mr. Kaiser is a trustee of the California Institute of Technology and vice chairman of the Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation, and is the grandson of the late construction

industrialist, Henry J. Kaiser.

A graduate of Stanford University in 1965, Mr. Kaiser received his MBA from Harvard University in 1967. During 1967 and 1968 he served in Viet Nam. After leaving Viet Nam, he became a White House Fellow under President Lyndon Johnson and then, in 1969, became special assistant to the U.S. Secretary of the Interior, Walter J. Hickel.

Following this period in Washington, Mr. Kaiser joined the Kaiser group of companies.

Mr. Kaiser was born in Portland, Oregon in 1942. He is a member of the Canada-Japan Business Cooperation Committee and the Stanford Research Institute International Council. He is a former director of The American Iron and Steel Institute and The International Iron and Steel Institute. Mr. Kaiser was the recipient of the 1978 Golden Plate Award for outstanding achievement. He is also active in many local, regional and national civic programs.



GENERAL MANAGER

GRADY ALDERMAN General Manager

Grady Alderman, who has spent 20 years in professional football as a player, administrator and broadcaster, brings that experience as well as a solid foundation in business and management to his new post as General Manager of The Denver Broncos.

Alderman assumes his new post after having spent the past two years as Director of Planning and Development for the Minnesota Vikings.

Alderman's business background is almost as long as his playing career. He was drafted by the Detroit Lions in 1960 after an outstanding collegiate career at the University of Detroit, then went to the Vikings in the expansion draft in 1961.

He became an offensive tackle at Minnesota and embarked on a long and distinguished playing career that saw him play in six Pro Bowls and three Super Bowls and serve as offensive team captain for eight years before his retirement following the 1974 season.

During much of that time he had also been working as an accountant with the accounting firm of Deloitte, Haskins & Sells. He joined that firm in 1963 and stayed with it through 1979.

During that time he completed the requirements for, and received, his CPA certificate (in 1970) and was a manager at the firm's Bloomington, Minn., office at the time he left to join the Vikings front office in 1979.

After his retirement as an NFL player, Alderman became a broadcaster working as color commentator on Vikings broadcasts from 1976 through the 1980 season. He also provided color commentary for the telecast of the 1980 Holiday and Japan Bowl all-star games.

A Michigan native, Alderman was born in Detroit (12/10/38) and graduated from Madison Heights High School in 1956. He earned his BS in accounting from the University of Detroit in 1961.

During his collegiate playing career, he was named the University of Detroit's outstanding lineman, and was an All-Catholic All-American in 1959. He played in the Gem City Bowl All-Star Game in 1959 and was named the game's outstanding lineman.

Grady and his wife, Nancy, are the parents of two children, son Robbie (11/16/66) and daughter Christy (8/28/69).

An active sportsman, Alderman lists his hobbies as fishing, hiking, racquetball, golf, motorcycling and snowmobiling.



HEAD COACH

DAN REEVES Head Coach



Dan Reeves, at age 37, becomes the ninth head coach in the history of The Denver Broncos. He also becomes the youngest head coach in The National Football League.

Recognized as one of the most successful offensive coaches in the NFL, Reeves has spent his entire professional career, both as a player and as a coach, with the Dallas Cowboys. He was offensive coordinator for the Cowboys for the past three seasons, years when the Dallas offense has been consistently at or near the top of the NFL.

Last season, for example, Dallas' multiple attack produced 454 points and 60 touchdowns, both high marks in the NFL in 1980.

Reeves had been a member of the Dallas coaching staff since 1970, when he undertook the difficult dual role of player-coach for two seasons. He was fulltime offensive backfield coach in 1972, but spent the 1973 season in private business before rejoining the staff, again as backfield coach, in 1974.

In 1977 he took on the job of offensive coordinator where his duties included coaching the quarterbacks and wide receivers.

A native of Americus, Ga. (1/19/44), Reeves began his career as a free agent running back in 1965. He had been a quarterback at the University of South Carolina as a college player and was inducted into South Carolina's Hall of Fame four years ago.

An all-purpose offensive back during his eight seasons (1965-72) on the Dallas roster, Reeves finished his career as the Cowboys' fifth all-time leading rusher, despite a series of knee injuries that slowed him in the later stages of his career.

He rushed for 1,990 yards and 25 TDs and caught 129 passes for 1,693 yards and 17 TDs.

Because of his collegiate QB background, Reeves was also a respected halfback option passer, completing 30 such attempts for a pair of TDs during his career. In addition, he returned some kickoffs and punts along the way, and played in the NFL championship games of 1966, 1967 and 1970.

Reeves and wife Pam are the parents of three children, daughters Dana (9/19/65) and Laura (9/21/70), and son Lee (11/4/67).



ASSISTANT COACHES

JOE COLLIER

Defensive Coordinator

The senior member of the Denver Broncos' coaching staff, Joe Collier was the first coach hired by Dan Reeves when the latter took over as head coach of the Broncos. Recognized as the mastermind of Denver's strong defensive unit, Collier begins his 13th season with the Broncos in 1981.

Collier was on Lou Saban's staff at Western Illinois from 1957 through 1959, then moved with Saban to the Boston Patriots of the American Football League in 1960-61, and on to Buffalo in 1962.

He served as head coach of the Bills in 1966-67-68, then rejoined Saban's staff with the Broncos in 1969.

Collier was an All-Big Ten selection as an end during his college days at Northwestern, and played in the Senior Bowl and the East-West Shrine game. Drafted by the New York Giants, he chose instead to spend the next two years in the Army, after which he joined the coaching ranks at Western Illinois.

Joe and his wife, Shirley, have three children, Julie, Lisa, and Joe.



ROD DOWHOWER

Wide Receivers

Rod Dowhower assumes the role of wide receivers coach for the Broncos in 1981, having served as the club's offensive coordinator in his return to pro football last season.

Formerly head coach at Stanford University, Dowhower led the Cardinals to a 5-5-1 record in 1979, after having been offensive coordinator there in 1977-78.

He began his career as a quarterback and receivers coach at San Diego State in 1966-67 and was the offensive coordinator from 1968-72. Dowhower then went to St. Louis in the NFL, where he coached the quarterbacks and receivers for one year before returning to college coaching in 1974 at UCLA.

Dowhower served as offensive coordinator there in 1974-75 and spent 1976 in the same capacity at Boise State.

An Ord, Nebraska native, he has a bachelor's degree from San Diego State, where he played college football, and a master's degree from U.S. International University.

Dowhower earned All-Coast and small college All-America honors as a quarterback at San Diego State in 1964.

Rod and his wife Nancy have two sons, Brian and Deron.



JERRY FREI

Offensive Line

Jerry Frei returns to the Denver Bronco coaching ranks in 1981, following three seasons as the Chicago Bears' offensive line coach (1978-80) and two in the same capacity at Tampa Bay (1976-77). Frei's previous coaching stint with the Broncos was from 1972-75.

Frei spent 12 years as a collegiate assistant coach at the University of Oregon from 1955 through 1966.

He succeeded Len Casanova as the Ducks' head coach in 1967. Although Oregon compiled a 22-29-2 record during his five years as head coach, the Ducks' 1970 record of 6-4-1 was good enough for second place in the Pac-Eight. That finish remains Oregon's highest conference finish.

Frei was an offensive lineman on the standout Wisconsin teams of 1942, 1946 and 1947. He is a 1948 graduate of the University of Wisconsin.

His first collegiate coaching experience came from 1952-54 at Willamette University.

Jerry and his wife Marion have five children, sons David and Terry, and daughters Judy, Susan, and Nancy.



REED JOHNSON

Special Teams

Reed Johnson, who for the past eight years was a talent scout for the Dallas Cowboys, is the new special teams coach of the Broncos.

Prior to his stint with the Cowboys, Johnson was an assistant coach at the University of New Mexico for three seasons and at Oklahoma State and Tulsa University for one season at each school.

Johnson, a graduate of the University of Colorado, played in the Buffaloes' defensive backfield for four years and concluded his playing career at CU in 1961 as a member of the school's Big Eight championship squad that season.

In addition, he coached high school football in Texas for five seasons, including four at Highland Park High School in Dallas. Johnson's Highland Park team won the Texas Four-A state championship in 1967.



STAN JONES

Defensive Line

One of the leading linemen in the National Football League in his playing days, Stan Jones is marking his 28th consecutive year in pro football in 1981.

This is the 11th season as defensive line coach of the Broncos for Jones, who is on his second tour of duty in the Mile High City.

Jones served on the Bronco staff under Lou Saban from 1967 to 1971, and spent the next four years with Saban in Buffalo. He rejoined the Broncos in 1976 and was the second assistant retained by Dan Reeves for 1981.



Jones was an All-American tackle at Maryland in 1953 and was named the nation's Lineman of the Year. In 1977, he was named to the Atlantic Coast Conference's 25-year All-Star team. He has been honored by the Maryland Alumni Association as Man of the Year, and is a member of Pennsylvania's Sports Hall of Fame.

He played 12 years with the Chicago Bears and one with the Washington Redskins, gaining All-Pro honors as an offensive guard four times and appearing in seven Pro Bowls.

Stan and his wife, Darlis, have a daughter, Sherrie, and two sons, Kevin and Tony.

CHARLIE LEE

Running Backs

The youngest coach on the Denver staff is Charlie Lee, 36, who joins the Broncos as running back coach from the University of Texas at Austin. Lee tutored the Longhorn wide receivers for the past four seasons.

Prior to his experience at Texas, Lee coached at Arizona from 1974-76 and at Northwest Missouri State in 1973.

He was a highly successful prep coach at Kansas City (Missouri) Central High School for five years.

Lee was a leading scorer and rusher at Northern Arizona, and twice earned honorable mention to the Little All-America teams.

Charlie's wife, Bonnie, is a speech pathologist, and they have a son, Charles, Jr.



RICHIE McCABE

Defensive Backs

A veteran professional coach and a former American Football League All-Star, Richie McCabe enters his fourth season as the Broncos' defensive backfield coach in 1981.

In 1977, McCabe was the defensive coordinator for the Buffalo Bills, where his pro coaching career had begun in 1966. He was on the Oakland Raiders' staff in 1969 and 1970, before moving to Cleveland for a five-year stint. He rejoined the Bills in 1976.

McCabe was a 22nd round draft choice of the Pittsburgh Steelers in 1955, and played four years with the Steelers and one with the Washington Redskins. He joined the Bills as a player in 1960, when he was named to the All-AFL team.

A native of Pittsburgh, he was a two-way starter for the Pitt Panthers. Richie and his wife, Judith, have two daughters, Kelly and Erin.



NICK NICOLAU

Special Assistant

A veteran of 20 years as a coach in college and with the Canadian Football League, Nick Nicolau assumes new duties as the Broncos' special assistant in 1981. He was on the staff of the New Orleans Saints last season.

Nicolau was a running back at Southern Connecticut College and coached there in 1960. He went to Springfield (Mass.) in 1961 and



Bridgeport (Conn.) from 1962-64 as an assistant coach and was head coach at Bridgeport from 1965-69.

Nicolau was an assistant at Massachusetts in 1970, Connecticut 1971-72, Kentucky 1973-75 and Kent State 1976. He joined the Hamilton Tiger-Cats as backfield coach in 1977 and held that post with the Montreal Alouettes in 1978-79.

Nicolau and his wife, Eleanor, have four daughters, Tracy, Shari, Vickie and Wendy, and two sons, Duane and Randy.

FRAN POLSFOOT

Tight Ends

Nineteen-eighty-one is a milestone year for Fran Polsfoot, as he will be coaching his 20th season in the NFL this year. This is Polsfoot's fifth season on the Broncos' staff, and this year he will concentrate on coaching the club's tight ends. Polsfoot coached all the receivers for his first four seasons in Denver.

He has been in the pro ranks since 1962 when he began a six-year hitch with the St. Louis Cardinals, following that as a member of the Houston Oilers' staff from 1968-71.

Polsfoot spent the next three years with the Cleveland Browns before rejoining the Oilers for 1975-76.

A native of Monsanto, Washington, Polsfoot is a graduate of Washington State, where he played end for the Cougars.

Fran and his wife, Mary, have a daughter, Sally, and a son, Tommy.



BOB ZEMAN

Linebackers

An American Football League All-Star as a Bronco defensive back in 1962, Zeman enters his fourth season as Denver's linebacker coach in 1981.

Zeman was the defensive backfield coach of the Oakland Raiders from 1971 through 1977.

He started his AFL playing career with the San Diego Chargers in 1960 and 1961, and came to the Broncos in a trade in 1962. After two seasons in Denver, he went to the New York Jets as a part of the historic nine-player trade in 1964. He concluded his career with the Chargers in 1965-1966.

A 1954 prep All-American in his home town of Wheaton, Illinois, Zeman went on to become the co-captain for Wisconsin's 1959 Big Ten Champions. Before joining the Raiders in 1971, he coached at Wisconsin in 1970 and Northwestern in 1968-69.

Zeman and his wife, Kathy, have three sons and a daughter, Clarke, Eddie, Donnie, and Jennifer.



ADMINISTRATION

JOHN BEAKE

Director of Player Personnel

This marks John Beake's third season as a member of the Denver Broncos and his first as the club's Director of Player Personnel.

Beake is in charge of keeping tabs on all veteran players in the NFL, which entails recording players' movements such as trades and waivers, and he also is involved in both the evaluation and the acquisition of new players.

He was Director of Pro Personnel for his first two seasons with the Broncos.

An assistant coach for the Kansas City Chiefs from 1968 through 1974, Beake was the offensive backfield coach for the New Orleans Saints in 1976-77.

On the college level, he coached at Penn State in 1961-62 and was the offensive coordinator at Colorado State University in 1975.

He has a degree from Trenton State College in New Jersey and a master's degree from Penn State.

Beake and his wife, Marcia, have three children, Jerilyn, Chip, and Christopher, and the family makes its home in Fort Collins.



CARROLL HARDY

Director of Scouting/Chief Scout

Carroll Hardy begins his 18th year in the Bronco organization in 1981.

Hardy's responsibilities are in the area of player personnel, with particular emphasis on the college draft and scouting. He also works with the pro scouting department, playing an active role in evaluating talent and in the acquisition of free agents.

Hardy has long been considered one of the greatest athletes produced by Colorado since winning a modern record of 10 letters at the University of Colorado (four each in football and baseball and two in track).

After graduating from Colorado in 1955 with a degree in education, Carroll signed a baseball contract with the Cleveland Indians and was drafted in the third round by football's San Francisco 49ers, playing that season as a wide receiver and running back.

After spending 1956 and 1957 in the Army, he returned to the Indians in 1958. He played in the outfield for the Indians until 1960, when he was traded to the Boston Red Sox. That year, Carroll became the only man ever to pinch hit for Ted Williams.

Hardy remained in baseball until the fall of 1965, when he joined the Broncos as a scout. He became assistant ticket manager for the club in 1969, and assumed the duties of scouting in 1970. He was Director of Player Personnel from 1977 through 1980.

In recognition of his great athletic career in baseball, football, and track, Hardy was inducted into the Colorado Sports Hall of Fame on February 19, 1979.



A native of South Dakota, Hardy also is a member of the South Dakota Sports Hall of Fame.

A resident of Boulder, Hardy and his wife, Janice, have three children, Jay, Jill, and Lisa.

BOB HURLEY

Treasurer

Bob Hurley was promoted to the position of club Treasurer in 1981, after having served as the Broncos' accountant from 1977 through 1980.

In his position as the organization's Treasurer, Hurley oversees all financial activities of the Denver Broncos.

A native of Denver, Hurley graduated from Regis High School and the University of Colorado. Before joining the Broncos he served as a Corporate Development Officer at the First National Bank of Denver for over five years.

Bob and his wife, Sallie, are the parents of three children, sons Ryan and Daniel, and daughter Erin, and the family lives in Denver.



GEORGE McFADDEN

Director of Public Relations

George McFadden begins his third season with the Broncos after having joined the club the day before the 1979 regular season began. He joined the Broncos as Director of Promotions, and was later named Director of Public Relations succeeding the late Bob Peck.

Although relatively new to Denver, McFadden is no rookie in the NFL. Before coming to Colorado he was Public Relations Director of the San Francisco 49ers for 14 years, then sandwiched an eight-month period as special events promotions manager for the Adolph Coors Co., in Golden, Colo., between the San Francisco and Denver assignments.

McFadden, a graduate of the University of New Mexico, was Sports Information Director for his alma mater for 13 years and was second vice-president of The College Sports Information Directors in America (COSIDA) before resigning to join the pro ranks in 1965.

George and wife, Wanda, live in Arvada.



GAIL STUCKEY

Ticket Manager

Gail Stuckey begins his seventh season as the Broncos Ticket Manager in 1981.

A San Diego native, he joined the Broncos in 1975 after serving ten years as assistant ticket manager for the San Diego Chargers. He began his tenure with the Chargers in 1965.

Stuckey attended San Diego State University, where he played baseball and basketball and is a veteran of a four-year stint in the United States Air



Force, stationed in Germany.

Gail and his wife, Pat, have two daughters, Lynette and Gail Rene.

JIM SACCOMANO

Publicity Director

Denver native Jim Saccomano is in his fourth year as a member of the Denver Broncos organization.

He is a graduate of Metropolitan State College in Denver and has a master's degree in journalism from the University of Colorado.

Prior to joining the Broncos, Saccomano worked for three seasons as Director of Public Relations for the Denver Bears baseball team, and also spent three years in Denver broadcasting as a sports reporter. He is a veteran of the United States Army.

Jim and his wife, Jo Ann, have two children, Jennifer and Jeffrey, and reside in Adams County.



LARRY ELLIOTT

Equipment Manager

Larry Elliott has served the Broncos as Equipment Manager since 1965, this year adding pre-season training camp arrangements and road game lodging to his areas of responsibility.

An outstanding athlete in his own right, Elliott was a ten-letter winner at St. Mary's High School in Colorado Springs. He declined scholarship offers in both football and baseball to enlist in the Air Force. While stationed at Tripoli's Wheelus Air Force Base, he won All-European honors as a third baseman.

Elliott has served as the coach of the Broncos basketball team, which travels throughout the Rocky Mountain area to play benefit games for worthy causes.

Larry and his wife, Margaret, live in Lakewood with their five children—Timothy, Troy, Thomas, Terry, and Tammie.



STEVE ANTONOPULOS

Head Athletic Trainer

Moving up to the position of Head Athletic Trainer in 1981 is Steve Antonopoulos, who was Director of Rehabilitation last season and the Broncos' Assistant Trainer for four years previously. This is his sixth year with the team.

Antonopoulos came to the Broncos from Fort Hays (Kansas) State, where he was the chief athletic trainer and an instructor in the physical education department for three years.

A Hugo, Colorado native, Antonopoulos holds bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley.

Steve and his wife, Kathy, have three children, Nick, Matt, and Kristi, and the family resides in Arvada.



RUSTY NAIL

Director of Photography

Now in his third year as the Denver Broncos' Director of Photography, Rusty Nail is in charge of the club's entire film department. This includes the filming of all Bronco games and practice sessions, as well as film processing and editing.

Nail's prior experience takes in five years of handling the film work of the Kansas City Chiefs, as well as two years spent in television handling a variety of free lance film projects.

A native of Fayetteville, Arkansas, Nail is a graduate of the Winona School of Professional Photography.

Rusty and his wife, Peggy, have a daughter, Katie, and live in Longmont.



RONNIE BILL

Superintendent of Facilities

This season marks Ronnie Bill's 21st as a member of the Denver Broncos organization and his second as the Superintendent of Facilities. As such, he is responsible for the team's entire physical plant, including maintenance of the buildings and practice fields which make up the Broncos' complex.

Most of Bill's tenure with the club was spent as Assistant Equipment Manager. He worked for the Denver Bears baseball team for three years before the Broncos began operation.

He is a Denver native and a graduate of Denver North High School.

Ronnie and his wife, Myrna, have a son, Gerry, and live in Wheat Ridge.



ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF



Ric Plsarclk
Assistant Trainer



Ed Seller
Assistant Trainer



Bill Harpole
Assistant Equipment
Manager



Jim Clark
Data Processing



Yolanda Saltus
Administrative
Assistant



Lorraine Dieleman
Administrative
Assistant



Betty Combs
Secretary



Joan Baker
Ticket Assistant



Cheryl Heyen
Ticket Assistant



Debbie Christian
Accountant



Beverly Havens
Accountant



Oneta Hollowell
Receptionist



Sue Fountain-Reid
Receptionist



Judy Rayl
Secretary

SCOUTS



Bill Daddio



Hugh Davidson



Jack Hennemier



Lide Huggins

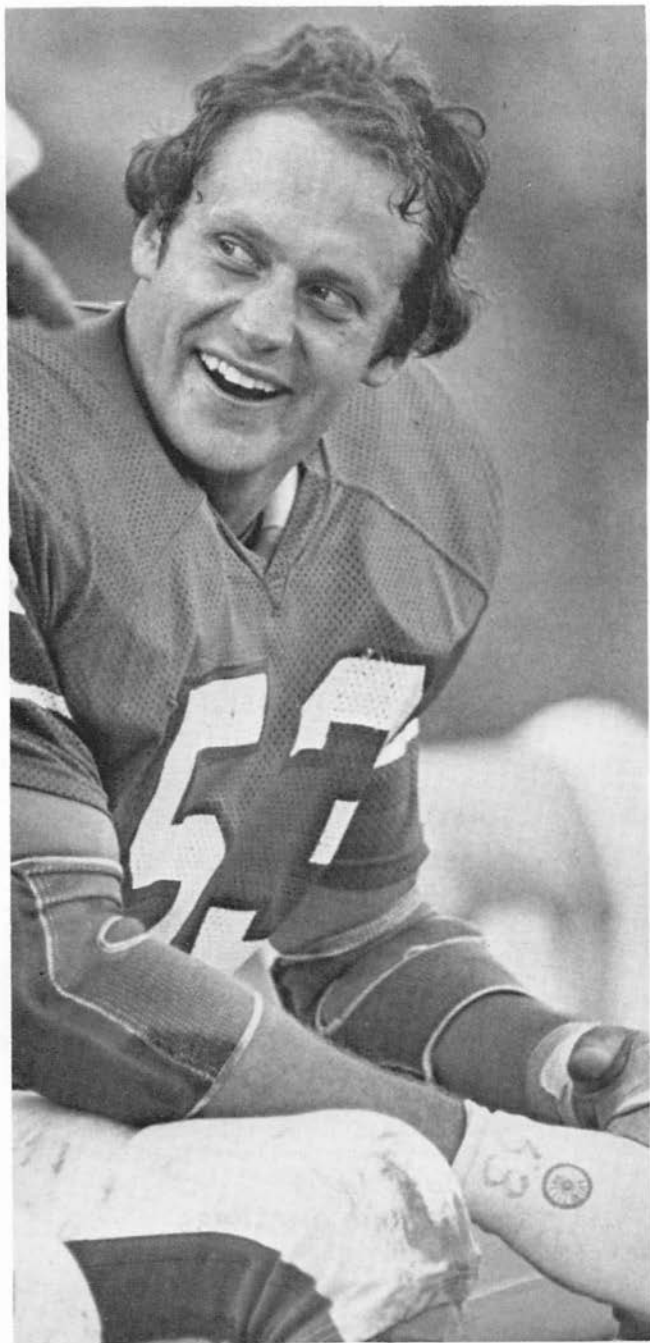


Hank Johnson



Bernie Reid

THE 1981 SEASON



Randy Gradishar, Denver Broncos' Defensive MVP in 1980.

1981 OPPONENTS

NEW YORK JETS

August 7, Mile High Stadium

ADDRESS: 598 Madison Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022.
TELEPHONE: 212-421-6600. COACH: Walt Michaels. DIRECTOR
OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Frank Ramos. 1980 RECORD: 4-12.
SERIES RECORD: Broncos 10, Jets 10, 1 tie.

MIAMI DOLPHINS

August 15, Orange Bowl

ADDRESS: 330 Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, FL 33132. TELE-
PHONE: 303-379-1851. COACH: Don Shula. DIRECTOR OF
PUBLIC RELATIONS: Bob Kearney. 1980 RECORD: 8-8. SERIES
RECORD: Broncos 2, Dolphins 4, 1 tie.

GREEN BAY PACKERS

August 22, Mile High Stadium

ADDRESS: 1265 Lombardi Avenue, Green Bay, WI 54301.
TELEPHONE: 414-494-2351. COACH: Bart Starr. DIRECTOR OF
PUBLIC RELATIONS: Lee Rammel. 1980 RECORD: 5-10-1.
SERIES RECORD: Broncos 2, Packers 1.

CINCINNATI BENGALS

August 29, Riverfront Stadium

ADDRESS: 200 Riverfront Stadium, Cincinnati, OH 45202.
TELEPHONE: 513-621-3550. COACH: Bill Johnson. DIRECTOR
OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Al Heim. 1980 RECORD: 6-10. SERIES
RECORD: Broncos 6, Bengals 5.

OAKLAND RAIDERS

September 6, Mile High Stadium

ADDRESS: 7850 Edgewater Drive, Oakland, CA 94621.
TELEPHONE: 415-562-5900. COACH: Tom Flores. 1980
RECORD: 11-5. SERIES RECORD: Broncos 9, Raiders 31, 2 ties.

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS

September 13, The Kingdome

ADDRESS: 5305 Lake Washington Blvd., Kirkland, WA 98033.
TELEPHONE: 206-827-9777. COACH: Jack Patera. DIRECTOR
OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Don Andersen. 1980 RECORD: 4-12.
SERIES RECORD: Broncos 6, Seahawks 1.

BALTIMORE COLTS

September 20, Mile High Stadium

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 2000, Owings Mills, MD 21117. TELE-
PHONE: 301-356-9600. COACH: Mike McCormack. DIRECTOR
OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Walter Gutowski. 1980 RECORD: 7-9.
SERIES RECORD: Broncos 2, Colts 1.

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS

September 27, Mile High Stadium

ADDRESS: San Diego Stadium, 9449 Friars Road, San Diego, CA
92120. TELEPHONE: 714-280-2111. COACH: Don Coryell.
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Rick Smith. 1980
RECORD: 11-5. SERIES RECORD: Broncos 19, Chargers 22, 1
tie.

1981 OPPONENTS

OAKLAND RAIDERS

October 4, Oakland Coliseum

ADDRESS: 7850 Edgewater Drive, Oakland, CA 94621.
TELEPHONE: 415-562-5900. COACH: Tom Flores. 1980
RECORD: 11-5. SERIES RECORD: Broncos 9, Raiders 31, 2 ties.

DETROIT LIONS

October 11, Mile High Stadium

ADDRESS: 1200 Featherstone Road, Pontiac, MI 48057.
TELEPHONE: 313-335-4131. COACH: Monte Clark. DIRECTOR
OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Don Kremer. 1980 RECORD: 9-7.
SERIES RECORD: Broncos 1, Lions 2.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS

October 18, Arrowhead Stadium

ADDRESS: One Arrowhead Drive, Kansas City, MO 64129.
TELEPHONE: 816-924-9300. COACH: Marv Levy. DIRECTOR OF
PUBLIC RELATIONS: Bob Sprenger. 1980 RECORD: 8-8.
SERIES RECORD: Broncos 13, Chiefs 29.

BUFFALO BILLS

October 25, Rich Stadium

ADDRESS: One Bills Drive, Orchard Park, N.Y. 14127.
TELEPHONE: 716-648-1800. COACH: Chuck Knox. DIRECTOR
OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Budd Thalman. 1980 RECORD: 11-5.
SERIES RECORD: Broncos 8, Bills 12, 1 tie.

MINNESOTA VIKINGS

November 2, Mile High Stadium

ADDRESS: 9520 Viking Drive, Eden Prairie, MN 55344.
TELEPHONE: 612-828-6500. COACH: Bud Grant. DIRECTOR
OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Merrill Swanson. 1980 RECORD: 9-7.
SERIES RECORD: Broncos 0, Vikings 2.

CLEVELAND BROWNS

November 8, Mile High Stadium

ADDRESS: Cleveland Stadium, Cleveland, OH 44114. TELE-
PHONE: 216-696-5555. COACH: Sam Rutigliano. DIRECTOR OF
PUBLIC RELATIONS: Nate Wallack. 1980 RECORD: 11-5.
SERIES RECORD: Broncos 5, Browns 3.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS

November 15, Tampa Stadium

ADDRESS: One Buccaneer Place, Tampa, FL 33607.
TELEPHONE: 813-870-2700. COACH: John McKay. DIRECTOR
OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Bob Best. 1980 RECORD: 5-10-1.
SERIES RECORD: Broncos 1, Buccaneers 0.

CINCINNATI BENGALS

November 22, Riverfront Stadium

ADDRESS: 200 Riverfront Stadium, Cincinnati, OH 45202.
TELEPHONE: 513-621-3550. COACH: Bill Johnson. DIRECTOR
OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Al Heim. 1980 RECORD: 6-10. SERIES
RECORD: Broncos 6, Bengals 5.

1981 OPPONENTS

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS

November 29, San Diego Stadium

ADDRESS: San Diego Stadium, 9449 Friars Road, San Diego, CA 92120. TELEPHONE: 714-280-2111. COACH: Don Coryell. DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Rick Smith. 1980 RECORD: 11-5. SERIES RECORD: Broncos 19, Chargers 22, 1 tie.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS

December 6, Mile High Stadium

ADDRESS: One Arrowhead Drive, Kansas City, MO 64129. TELEPHONE: 816-924-9300. COACH: Marv Levy. DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Bob Sprenger. 1980 RECORD: 8-8. SERIES RECORD: Broncos 13, Chiefs 29.

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS

December 13, Mile High Stadium

ADDRESS: 5305 Lake Washington Blvd., Kirkland, WA 98033. TELEPHONE: 206-827-9777. COACH: Jack Patera. DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Don Andersen. 1980 RECORD: 4-12. SERIES RECORD: Broncos 6, Seahawks 1.

CHICAGO BEARS

December 20, Soldier Field

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 204, Lake Forest, IL 60045. TELEPHONE: 312-295-6600. COACH: Neill Armstrong. DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS: Ted Haracz. 1980 RECORD: 7-9. SERIES RECORD: Broncos 3, Bears 1.



1981 NFL SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5 (*First Weekend*)

Minnesota at Tampa Bay.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

Baltimore at New England, Dallas at Washington, Green Bay at Chicago, Houston at Los Angeles, Kansas City at Pittsburgh, Miami at St. Louis, New Orleans at Atlanta, New York Jets at Buffalo, Oakland at Denver, Philadelphia at New York Giants, San Francisco at Detroit, Seattle at Cincinnati.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

San Diego at Cleveland.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10 (*Second Weekend*)

Pittsburgh at Miami

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

Atlanta at Green Bay, Buffalo at Baltimore, Chicago at San Francisco, Cincinnati at New York Jets, Denver at Seattle, Detroit at San Diego, Houston at Cleveland, Los Angeles at New Orleans, New England at Philadelphia, New York Giants at Washington, St. Louis at Dallas, Tampa Bay at Kansas City.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

Oakland at Minnesota

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17 (*Third Weekend*)

Philadelphia at Buffalo.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

Baltimore at Denver, Cleveland at Cincinnati, Detroit at Minnesota, Green Bay at Los Angeles, Miami at Houston, New Orleans at New York Giants, New York Jets at Pittsburgh, San Diego at Kansas City, San Francisco at Atlanta, Seattle at Oakland, Tampa Bay at Chicago, Washington at St. Louis.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

Dallas at New England.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 (*Fourth Weekend*)

Atlanta at Cleveland, Buffalo at Cincinnati, Houston at New York Jets, Kansas City at Seattle, Miami at Baltimore, Minnesota vs. Green Bay at Milw., New England at Pittsburgh, New Orleans at San Francisco, New York Giants at Dallas, Oakland at Detroit, St. Louis at Tampa Bay, San Diego at Denver, Washington at Philadelphia.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

Los Angeles at Chicago.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4 (*Fifth Weekend*)

Baltimore at Buffalo, Chicago at Minnesota, Cincinnati at Houston, Cleveland at Los Angeles, Dallas at St. Louis, Denver at Oakland, Detroit at Tampa Bay, Green Bay at New York Giants, Kansas City at New England, New York Jets at Miami, Pittsburgh at New Orleans, San Francisco at Washington, Seattle at San Diego.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 5

Atlanta at Philadelphia.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11 *(Sixth Weekend)*

Cincinnati at Baltimore, Cleveland at Pittsburgh, Dallas at San Francisco, Detroit at Denver, Los Angeles at Atlanta, Minnesota at San Diego, New England at New York Jets, Oakland at Kansas City, Philadelphia at New Orleans, St. Louis at New York Giants, Seattle at Houston, Tampa Bay at Green Bay, Washington at Chicago.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 12

Miami at Buffalo.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18 *(Seventh Weekend)*

Buffalo at New York Jets, Denver at Kansas City, Houston at New England, Los Angeles at Dallas, New Orleans at Cleveland, New York Giants at Seattle, Philadelphia at Minnesota, Pittsburgh at Cincinnati, St. Louis at Atlanta, San Diego at Baltimore, San Francisco vs. Green Bay at Milw., Tampa Bay at Oakland, Washington at Miami.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19

Chicago at Detroit.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25 *(Eighth Weekend)*

Baltimore at Cleveland, Cincinnati at New Orleans, Denver at Buffalo, Green Bay at Detroit, Kansas City at Oakland, Los Angeles at San Francisco, Miami at Dallas, Minnesota at St. Louis, New England at Washington, New York Giants at Atlanta, San Diego at Chicago, Seattle at New York Jets, Tampa Bay at Philadelphia.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26

Houston at Pittsburgh.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1 *(Ninth Weekend)*

Atlanta at New Orleans, Baltimore at Miami, Chicago at Tampa Bay, Cleveland at Buffalo, Dallas at Philadelphia, Detroit at Los Angeles, Houston at Cincinnati, Kansas City at San Diego, New England at Oakland, New York Jets at New York Giants, St. Louis at Washington, San Francisco at Pittsburgh, Seattle at Green Bay.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Minnesota at Denver.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8 *(Tenth Weekend)*

Atlanta at San Francisco, Chicago at Kansas City, Cincinnati at San Diego, Cleveland at Denver, Detroit at Washington, Miami at New England, New Orleans at Los Angeles, New York Giants vs. Green Bay at Milw., New York Jets at Baltimore, Oakland at Houston, Philadelphia at St. Louis, Pittsburgh at Seattle, Tampa Bay at Minnesota.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9

Buffalo at Dallas.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15 *(Eleventh Weekend)*

Baltimore at Philadelphia, Buffalo at St. Louis, Chicago at Green Bay, Cleveland at San Francisco, Dallas at Detroit, Denver at Tampa Bay, Houston at Kansas City, Los Angeles at Cincinnati, New Orleans at Minnesota, New York Jets at New England, Oakland at Miami, Pittsburgh at Atlanta, Washington at New York Giants.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16

San Diego at Seattle.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22 (*Twelfth Weekend*)

Denver at Cincinnati, Detroit at Chicago, Green Bay at Tampa Bay, Miami at New York Jets, New England at Buffalo, New Orleans at Houston, New York Giants at Philadelphia, Pittsburgh at Cleveland, St. Louis at Baltimore, San Diego at Oakland, San Francisco at Los Angeles, Seattle at Kansas City, Washington at Dallas.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23

Minnesota at Atlanta.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26 (*Thirteenth Weekend*)

Chicago at Dallas, Kansas City at Detroit.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29

Atlanta at Houston, Baltimore at New York Jets, Cincinnati at Cleveland, Denver at San Diego, Green Bay at Minnesota, Los Angeles at Pittsburgh, New York Giants at San Francisco, Oakland at Seattle, St. Louis at New England, Tampa Bay at New Orleans, Washington at Buffalo.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Philadelphia at Miami.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3 (*Fourteenth Weekend*)

Cleveland at Houston.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6

Atlanta at Tampa Bay, Buffalo at San Diego, Dallas at Baltimore, Detroit at Green Bay, Kansas City at Denver, Los Angeles at New York Giants, Minnesota at Chicago, New England at Miami, New Orleans at St. Louis, New York Jets at Seattle, Philadelphia at Washington, San Francisco at Cincinnati.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7

Pittsburgh at Oakland.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12 (*Fifteenth Weekend*)

Minnesota at Detroit, New York Jets at Cleveland.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13

Baltimore at Washington, Buffalo at New England, Chicago at Oakland, Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, Green Bay at New Orleans, Houston at San Francisco, Miami at Kansas City, New York Giants at St. Louis, Philadelphia at Dallas, San Diego at Tampa Bay, Seattle at Denver.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14

Atlanta at Los Angeles.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19 (*Sixteenth Weekend*)

Buffalo at Miami, Dallas at New York Giants.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20

Cincinnati at Atlanta, Cleveland at Seattle, Denver at Chicago, Green Bay at New York Jets, Kansas City at Minnesota, New England at Baltimore, Pittsburgh at Houston, St. Louis at Philadelphia, San Francisco at New Orleans, Tampa Bay at Detroit, Washington at Los Angeles.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 21

Oakland at San Diego.

POSTSEASON

Sunday, December 27—NFL First Round Playoffs (CBS and NBC). **Saturday, January 2**—AFC and NFC Divisional Playoffs (NBC and CBS). **Sunday, January 3**—AFC and NFC Divisional Playoffs (NBC and CBS). **Sunday, January 10**—AFC Championship Game (NBC), NFC Championship Game (CBS). **Sunday, January 24**—Super Bowl XVI at Silverdome, Pontiac, Mich. (CBS). **Sunday, January 31**—AFC-NFC Pro Bowl at Honolulu, Hawaii (ABC).

1981 NFL PRESEASON SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 1: Hall of Fame Game, Cleveland vs. Atlanta, Canton, Ohio.

FIRST WEEK

Wednesday, August 5: San Francisco at Seattle. **Thursday, August 6:** Philadelphia at Houston. **Friday, August 7:** Kansas City at Washington, New York Jets at Denver. **Saturday, August 8:** Atlanta at Oakland, Baltimore at New Orleans, Cincinnati at Tampa Bay, Detroit at Buffalo, Green Bay at Dallas, Miami at Minnesota, New York Giants at Chicago, Pittsburgh at Cleveland, St. Louis at San Diego. **Monday, August 10:** New England at Los Angeles.

SECOND WEEK

Friday, August 14: Minnesota at Washington, St. Louis at Seattle. **Saturday, August 15:** Baltimore at New York Giants, Chicago at Kansas City, Cincinnati at Detroit, Cleveland at Buffalo, Denver at Miami, Houston at New Orleans, Dallas at Los Angeles, New England at Tampa Bay, New York Jets at Atlanta, Oakland vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee, Pittsburgh at Philadelphia, San Diego at San Francisco.

THIRD WEEK

Friday, August 21: Los Angeles at San Diego. **Saturday, August 22:** Atlanta at Minnesota, Buffalo at Cleveland, Cincinnati at Chicago, Green Bay at Denver, Houston at Tampa Bay, Miami at Detroit, N.Y. Jets at N.Y. Giants, Pittsburgh at Dallas, St. Louis at Kansas City, Seattle at San Francisco, Washington at Baltimore. **Sunday, August 23:** New Orleans vs. Philadelphia at Syracuse, Oakland-New England (game date and site to be determined).

FOURTH WEEK

Thursday, August 27: Minnesota at Los Angeles. **Friday, August 28:** Baltimore at Seattle, Buffalo at San Diego, Kansas City at Miami, Tampa Bay at Atlanta. **Saturday, August 29:** Chicago at St. Louis, Cleveland at Green Bay, Denver at Cincinnati, Detroit at New Orleans, Houston at Dallas, New York Giants at Pittsburgh, Philadelphia at New York Jets (Meadowlands), San Francisco at Oakland. **Sunday, August 30:** Washington at New England.

VETERAN PLAYER PROFILES



Center Bill Bryan, Broncos' Offensive MVP in 1980.

No. 54 KEITH BISHOP

Center/Guard



Birthdate—March 10, 1957
Birthplace—San Diego, CA.
Residence—Englewood, CO.
How Acquired—D #6, 1980
College—Baylor
High School—Lee HS, Midland, Tex.
Height—6-3
Weight—260
Pro Year—2nd
Year with Broncos—2nd

Very strong young offensive lineman who played in all 16 1980 games, mostly on special teams, but also saw relief work at both center and guard when the regulars at those positions were hurt. Played at center briefly in the opener against Philadelphia when Bill Bryan went out. Then, 10 games later, he replaced starter Paul Howard at guard against the New York Jets. Meanwhile, served as kick snapper through most of the season. Testament to his strength is the fact that he can bench press his body weight more than 17 times. His speed has been measured at 4.8 seconds in the 40-yd. dash.

COLLEGE: Began his college career at the University of Nebraska, where he was a teammate of Bronco tackle Kelvin Clark. Played two years at Nebraska before transferring to Baylor, then sat out the 1977 season as required of transfers. Started every game at center for Baylor in 1978, was elected tri-captain for 1979, but suffered a knee injury in the first game and missed the remainder of the season. Majored in physical education.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Mary. At Lee HS in Midland, Tex., Keith lettered twice each in football and baseball. In football he played guard and center on offense, tackle on defense. He was a baseball pitcher. Lists hobbies as hunting, fishing and photography.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980 (16).

No. 77 GREGORY EARL (Greg) BOYD

Defensive End



Birthdate—Sept. 15, 1952
Birthplace—Merced, CA.
Residence—Denver, CO.
How Acquired—FA, 1980
College—San Diego State
High School—Edison HS, Fresno, CA.
Height—6-6
Weight—280
Pro Year—4th
Year with Broncos—2nd

Played in all 16 games in 1980 as a member of the Broncos' "designated pass rush" unit after joining the team as a free agent in the off-season. Wound up the club's 2nd-leading defender in terms of QB sacks with nine. Had a total of 42 tackles in addition to the nine sacks. Joined the Broncos after three injury-plagued seasons with the New England Patriots. A 6th-round draft choice by the Patriots in the 1976 draft, he missed that entire season with a knee injury. Played in 13 games in 1977 and 10 in 1978 despite having broken an ankle in the pre-season that year. Powerful man who has bench pressed 545 pounds. Has been timed at 4.8 seconds in the 40-yd. dash.

COLLEGE: Played his first football at Fresno JC, did not play in high school. Moved to San Diego State in 1974 where he became a part-time starter in the '74 season and then became a standout performer as a regular starter in '75. Was a teammate of Bronco Claudie Minor at San Diego State.

PERSONAL: Born in Merced, CA., but attended Edison HS in Fresno, where he grew up. Did not participate in high school athletics. Off-season activities this past year included speaking to high school groups on the benefits of proper nutrition, exercise and body buildings. Also does programs with youth correctional centers. Single.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1977 (13), 1978 (10), 1979 (DNP), 1980 (16).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 52 GREGORY LEE (Greg) BRACELIN

Linebacker



Birthdate—April 16, 1957

Birthplace—Lawrence, KA.

Residence—Aurora, CO.

How Acquired—Draft #9, 1980

College—California

High School—DeAnza HS, Richmond, CA.

Height—6-1

Weight—218

Pro Year—2nd

Year with Broncos—2nd

Played very little as a linebacker in 1980, his rookie season, but did see action in 12 games, mostly on kick coverage with the special teams. Has been timed at 4.74 in the 40-yd. dash, fastest among the veteran Bronco linebackers.

COLLEGE: Lettered four varsity seasons at California. Converted from strong safety to linebacker in spring of 1977 and quickly became a starter. Had three interceptions while at Cal, was named All Pac-10 and All-West Coast. Capped his college career with an appearance as an all-star in the Japan Bowl in Tokyo. Earned a degree in social science from Cal in spring, 1980.

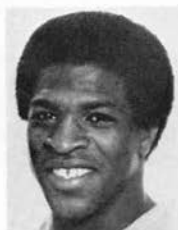
PERSONAL: Born in Lawrence, KA., but went to high school at DeAnza in Richmond, CA., where he earned three letters in football and basketball and four in baseball. Played both offense and defense in football, gaining 1,000 yards and prep All-America honors as a senior as well as being chosen Northern California High School Defensive Player of the Year. Was a forward in basketball, catcher in baseball. Single. Lists hobbies as skiing, both water and snow.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980 (12).

No. 82 LAWRENCE R. (Larry) BRUNSON

Kick Returner/Wide Receiver



Birthdate—August 11, 1949
Birthplace—Little Rock, ARK.
Residence—Englewood, CO.
How Acquired—FA, 1980
College—Colorado
High School—Cortez HS, Cortez, CO.
Height—5-11
Weight—180
Pro Year—8th
Year with Broncos—2nd

Joined the Broncos as a free agent just prior to the fourth game of the regular season (New England), wound up the season as the team's leading kickoff returner, and third in the AFC, with 40 returns for a total of 923 yards and a 23.1 average. Appeared in 13 games after joining the club, but very rarely in the role of wide receiver. He caught one pass for 15 yards. Originally drafted by the Broncos in the 11th round in 1972, he was released prior to the regular season, was signed by the New England Patriots in 1973, released, then signed by Kansas City in 1974. Played with the Chiefs as a wide receiver and kick returner (both punts and KOs) from 1974 through 1977 before being traded to Oakland. Played two years with Oakland, primarily as a KO returner. Led the NFL in KO returns as a Raider in 1979 with a 25.9 average. Has a career mark of 87 KO returns for 2,022 yards and a 23.2 career average, but 40 of those returns and 923 of those yards came just last year.

Long returns last year, 53 yards against San Diego and 37 against the New York Jets, helped set up eventual Denver victories. He also returned two punts last year for a total of 12 yards.

COLLEGE: Starred in football and track at the University of Colorado, where he was a wide receiver and kick returner and a consistent 9.5 sprinter in the 100-yd. dash. Attended Mesa College before transferring to Colorado.

PERSONAL: Born in Little Rock, Ark., but attended Cortez HS in Colorado where he was named All-Conference as a defensive back and running back. Was All-Conference as a guard in basketball. In track field, ran the 100 and 220 yard dashes, a leg on the 440-yd. relay and competed in the broad jump. Married and he and wife, Susan, have three children, sons Matthew (9/2/74) and Jeffrey (1/16/79), and daughter Stacey (12/17/75). Family lives in Englewood, CO.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RUSHING					RECEIVING			
		Games	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1974	Kansas City	14	5	-33	-6.6	0	22	374	17.0	2
1975	Kansas City	14	2	89	44.5	0	23	398	17.3	2
1976	Kansas City	14	3	-1	-0.3	0	33	656	19.9	1
1977	Kansas City	11	2	8	4.0	0	20	295	14.8	0
1978	Oakland	2		None				None		
1979	Oakland	11		None			5	49	9.8	1
1980	Denver	13		None			1	15	15.0	0
TOTALS		79	12	63	5.3	0	104	1787	17.2	6

Year	Club	PUNT RETURNS					KICKOFF RETURNS			
		Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1974	Kansas City	14	19	111	5.8	0	12	280	23.3	0
1975	Kansas City	14	1	4	4.0	0	1	8	8.0	0
1976	Kansas City	14	31	387	12.5	0		None		
1977	Kansas City	11	20	108	5.4	0	11	216	19.6	0
1978	Oakland	2		None			6	154	25.7	0
1979	Oakland	11	2	8	4.0	0	17	441	25.9	0
1980	Denver	13	2	12	6.0	0	40	923	23.1	0
TOTALS		79	75	630	8.4	0	87	2022	23.2	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles for two yards, 1974; recovered one fumble, 1976.

No. 64 WILLIAM KIRBY (Billy) BRYAN

Center



Birthdate—June 21, 1955
Birthplace—Burlington, N.C.
Residence—Burlington, N.C.
How Acquired—Draft #4, 1977
College—Duke
High School—Williams HS,
Burlington, N.C.
Height—6-2
Weight—258
Pro Year—5th
Year with Broncos—5th

Started all 16 games last season and is considered a strong contributor to the improved Broncos offensive line play of the past two seasons. Missed all but one game of his rookie season with an injury, but took over the starting job in 1979 and has held it ever since. Was voted the Broncos' Earl Hartman Award as MVP on offense by his teammates at the conclusion of the 1980 season.

COLLEGE: Was first team All-Atlantic Coast player at Duke, received several All-America notices, while earning four varsity letters, all at center. Capped his senior season by playing in the East-West Shrine Game in San Francisco. Graduated with a degree in economics.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Susan. Still lives in his hometown of Burlington, N.C., where he is 50% owner of a sporting goods store, which has been owned by his family for many years. Bill's father was a Little All-American at Elon College, and an uncle was an outstanding player at Clemson. At Williams High School in Burlington, Bill earned three football letters as a defensive tackle and two as a shot put and discus thrower. Lists sailing and target shooting as hobbies.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1977 (1), 1978 (13), 1979 (16), 1980 (16).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles, 1979; fumbled twice for minus 20 yards, recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 35 LAWRENCE L. (Larry) CANADA

Running Back



Birthdate—Dec. 16, 1954
Birthplace—Chicago, Ill.
Residence—Aurora, CO.
How Acquired—FA, 1977
College—Wisconsin
High School—Austin HS, Chicago, Ill.
Height—6-2
Weight—226
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—3rd

Spent the entire 1980 season on injured reserve but is expected to return at full physical capacity this year. Major contribution in past two seasons has been as a special teams performer, particularly on kick coverage teams. As a ball carrier has established a 4.4 yards per carry average in a backup role. Longest run in his professional career came in his rookie season, 47 yards in the second Kansas City game of that year. However, his best single-game performance came in the first Chiefs game of that same season, a 23-17 Bronco overtime win in which he ran for 94 yards on 14 carries. Nicknamed "The Mailman" by his teammates after that game. First signed as a free agent in 1977, left camp for personal reasons, but was brought back the following

year and made the team.

COLLEGE: Strong performer as a ball carrier. During his career at Wisconsin he established himself as the university's sixth all-time rushing leader. Earned four varsity letters while majoring in Commercial Arts and Afro/American Studies. Played in the East-West Shrine game and in the Japan Bowl.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Cecilia. They have a daughter, Carmella Cynthia Irene (3/4/77), and a son, Lawrence Arthur (5/20/81). In high school at Austin HS in Chicago, Larry earned two football letters and played both running back and linebacker. Also earned a letter as a basketball forward.

Professional Record

	RUSHING					RECEIVING			
	Games	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1978—Denver	16	79	365	4.6	3	6	37	6.2	0
1979—Denver	16	36	143	4.0	0	3	36	12.0	0
1980—Denver	None					(Injured Reserve)			
TOTALS	32	115	508	4.4	3	9	73	8.0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once and recovered one fumble, 1978; fumbled twice and recovered two fumbles for 5 yards, returned three kickoffs for 31 yards, 1979.

No. 68 RUBIN CARTER

Nose Tackle



Birthdate—Dec. 12, 1952

Birthplace—Pompano Beach, Fla.

Residence—Aurora, CO.

How Acquired—Draft #5b, 1975

College—Miami (Fla.)

High School—Stranahan HS,
Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

Height—6-0

Weight—256

Pro Year—7th

Year with Broncos—7th

Despite being double-teamed (sometimes triple-teamed) on virtually every play (a not unusual state for a nose tackle in the 3-4 alignment), Carter recorded 111 tackles in 1980 to rank sixth on the squad for total tackles in the season. With that number, his career total is now 638, an average of just over 106 per year. He also recorded three-and-a-half sacks last season to bring his career total to 21 for regular-season games. Has missed only one game in his entire professional career and has started 82 of the 89 games in which he has played. Became a starter at midseason of his rookie year. Has recovered seven fumbles, including one last season, and returned one for a touchdown against New England in 1979. Blocked an extra point attempt against Houston last year. Gained acclaim in Super Bowl XII when he was credited with six tackles, two assists, two QB sacks and a fumble recovery, none of which are included in his career regular-season totals.

COLLEGE: Two-year letterman at the University of Miami and was selected to the Kodak and UPI All-American teams after his senior year. He also was selected the team's MVP on defense in the Hula Bowl. Graduated with a degree in Business Administration.

PERSONAL: Married and he and wife, Diana, have a son, Rubin Andrell (5/12/79). Rubin sells both real estate and insurance in the off-season, lists chess, tennis, ping-pong, swimming, basketball, backgammon and pool as his hobbies. At Stranahan HS in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., he earned three varsity football letters as a defensive tackle and three as a shot putter in track and field. He is active in the Fellowship Of Christian Athletes and in Pro Athletes Outreach.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1975 (14), 1976 (14), 1977 (14), 1978 (16), 1979 (15), 1980 (16). **ADDITIONAL STATISTICS:** Recovered one fumble, 1976; recovered one fumble, 1978; recovered two fumbles for 10 yards and one touchdown, 1979; recovered two fumbles, blocked PAT, 1980.

No. 79 BARNEY LEWIS CHAVOUS

(CHAY-vus)

Defensive End



Birthdate—March 22, 1951

Birthplace—Aiken, S.C.

Residence—Aurora, CO.

How Acquired—Draft #2, 1973

College—South Carolina State

High School—Schofield HS, Aiken, S.C.

Height—6-3

Weight—258

Pro Year—9th

Year with Broncos—9th

Senior member of Broncos' defensive line corps, Chavous has not missed a game or a starting assignment for the past three seasons. Last year, his eighth season, he recorded 101 total tackles, administered 4½ quarterback sacks (for losses of 40 yards) and recovered a fumble. With that regular-season performance, his career totals now stand at 756 tackles and 42½ sacks. Chavous was named the Pittsburgh Courier's NFL Defensive Lineman of the Year following the 1978 season. He was named Defensive Rookie of the Year (1973) by the NFLPA.

COLLEGE: Was All-Conference and defensive MVP at South Carolina State College where he earned four varsity letters as a defensive end. A three-year starter, he was named All-America by AP, The Football News and the Pittsburgh Courier, which also named him collegiate Defensive Lineman of the Year. Capped his college play with appearances in the North-South Game, the Senior Bowl and the Coaches' All-America Game. Graduated with a major in physical education.

PERSONAL: Married and he and wife, Odessa, are the parents of three children, son Shedric (2/10/70) and daughters Jasmine (11/18/76) and Nikeya Monique (6/28/78). Barney works in real estate and does some farming in the off-season, lists hunting, fishing, target shooting and pool as his hobbies. At Schofield HS in his hometown of Aiken, S.C., he earned only one letter in football, as a linebacker, two in track and field as a weight man with the shot and discus.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1973 (14), 1974 (14), 1975 (9), 1976 (13), 1977 (13), 1978 (16), 1979 (16), 1980 (16). **ADDITIONAL STATISTICS:** Fumble recoveries—1973 (1), 1974 (1), 1980 (1).

No. 73 KELVIN CLARK

Offensive Tackle



Birthdate—Jan. 30, 1956

Birthplace—Odessa, Tex.

Residence—Englewood, Colo.

How Acquired—Draft #1, 1979

College—University of Nebraska

High School—Odessa HS, Odessa, Tex.

Height—6-3

Weight—265

Pro Year—3rd

Year with Broncos—3rd

Played in 14 games last year, was a starter in five. Was Broncos' No. 1 draft choice prior to the 1979 season. Runs consistent 5.0 seconds in 40-yd. sprint. One of the strongest of the Broncos, has "lifted" 900 pounds in sequence 10 times on the leg sled. Nickname is "Big Neck" in reference to his 19½ shirt size, but Bronco teammates have facetiously renamed him "Big Check" in deference to his No. 1 draft status.

COLLEGE: Regarded as strongest offensive lineman in University of Nebraska history, he made five first team All-America squads as a 1978 senior and was honorable mention All-America in 1977. Earned three letters, was a two-year starter for the Cornhuskers. Played in the Challenge Bowl and the Hula Bowl after his senior season. Majored in physical education.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Judy. At Odessa (Tex.) HS, earned two letters as an offensive tackle in football and one as a third baseman in baseball.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1979 (15), 1980 (14).

No. 85 RON EGLOFF

Tight End



Birthdate—Oct. 3, 1955

Birthplace—Plymouth, Mich.

Residence—Denver, Colo.

How Acquired—FA, 1977

College—Wisconsin

High School—Plymouth, HS, Plymouth, Mich.

Height—6-5

Weight—240

Pro Year—5th

Year with Broncos—5th

Played in all 16 games last season, started in four, two when regular Riley Odoms was hurt and two when the Broncos opened with a two-tight-end offensive set. Caught six passes for 85 yards in 1980 bringing his four-year totals to 17 catches for 215 yards. He caught a TD pass against San Diego in 1978.

COLLEGE: Earned four varsity letters at the University of Wisconsin, all at TE. Majored in sociology.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Julie. At Plymouth HS in his birthplace of Plymouth, Mich., he was a nine-letterman with three as a TE in football, three as a forward in basketball and three as a first baseman in baseball. Lists all kinds of sports, including water skiing, foosball and crossword puzzles, as hobbies.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RECEIVING				
		Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1977—	Denver	13	2	27	13.5	0
1978—	Denver	8	4	33	8.3	1
1979—	Denver	15	5	70	14.0	0
1980—	Denver	15	4	85	14.4	0
TOTALS		52	17	215	12.6	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Returned one kickoff for no yards, 1979.

No. 56 LARRY EUGENE EVANS

Linebacker



Birthdate—July 11, 1953
Birthplace—Mountrose, Miss.
Residence—Long Beach, Miss.
How Acquired—Draft #14, 1976
College—Mississippi College
High School—Biloxi HS, Biloxi, Miss.
Height—6-2
Weight—222
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—6th

Started 12 games in 1980 in place of injured Joe Rizzo and wound up the year credited with a total of 170 tackles (2nd on the team), one QB sack and one pass interception. Played in all 16 games, now has played in 76 consecutive games, a streak that began with the first game of his rookie season. Is versatile enough to be listed on the Broncos' depth chart as backup to all four linebacking positions. Has started in place of Randy Gradishar on the inside and Tom Jackson on the outside when they were injured.

COLLEGE: Lettered four years as a linebacker at Mississippi College, was chosen defensive MVP and named the outstanding senior athlete. Graduated with a degree in education and is currently working on a master's in the field of special education.

PERSONAL: Married and he and wife, Margaret, are the parents of a son, Chavous (4/4/78), and a daughter, Amaris Esteola (11/28/80). Chavous' birthday is the same day as that of Bronco linebacker Tom Jackson and he is named for Denver defensive end Barney Chavous. In high school at Biloxi, Larry earned four football letters as a defensive end and one in basketball as a forward.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1976 (14), 1977 (14), 1978 (16), 1979 (16), 1980 (16). **ADDITIONAL STATISTICS:** Recovered 2 fumbles, 1976; intercepted one pass for no yards, 1977; blocked one kick, 1979; intercepted one pass for 13 yards, 1980.

No. 43 STEPHEN JAMES (Steve) FOLEY

Safety



Birthdate—Nov. 11, 1953
Birthplace—New Orleans, La.
Residence—New Orleans, La.
How Acquired—Draft #8, 1975
College—Tulane
High School—Jesuit HS,
New Orleans, La.
Height—6-2
Weight—192
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—6th

After having been a starting cornerback for the past five seasons, Foley was shifted to free safety for the eighth game of the 1980 season and finished the year as the starter at that position. It was the second conversion of Foley's career. He was a collegiate QB at Tulane. Had four interceptions in 1980, returned them for a total of 115 yards, to lead the Broncos in that department for the third consecutive season. He now has 23 interceptions for his career with Denver and is the third-ranked interceptor in the team's history behind Goose Gonsoulin and Billy Thompson. Named to UPI's All-AFC team after the 1978 season.

COLLEGE: Lettered three years at Tulane as a quarterback and originally opted for the WFL as a quarterback, but after being shifted to DB at Jacksonville, came to the Broncos as an experienced defender. Led Tulane in the 1973 Blue Bonnet Bowl. Holds Tulane's individual career total offense record. Graduated with a degree in business.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Cindy, and they make their off-season home in Steve's native New Orleans, where they own a roller skate store. Steve lists hunting, fishing, tennis and "most outdoor sports" as hobbies. Comes from a large family with 12 brothers and sisters. At Jesuit HS in New Orleans, Steve was a 2-yr. letterman QB and earned two track letters as a long jumper, high jumper and javelin thrower.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS					PUNT RETURNS			
		Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1976—	Denver	14	4	95	23.8	0	5	42	8.4	0
1977—	Denver	13	3	22	7.3	0	None			
1978—	Denver	16	6	84	14.0	0	None			
1979—	Denver	16	6	14	2.3	0	None			
1980—	Denver	16	4	115	28.8	0	None			
TOTALS		75	23	330	14.3	0	5	42	8.4	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once, 1976; rushed once for 14 yards, 1978; fumbled once, 1979.

No. 62 THOMAS JOSEPH (Tom) GLASSIC

Guard



Birthdate—April 17, 1954
Birthplace—Elizabeth, N.J.
Residence—Littleton, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #1, 1976
College—Virginia
High School—Watching HS, Warren, N.J.
Height—6-3
Weight—260
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—6th

Entering his sixth season with the unusual statistic of having started every game in which he has played for the Denver Broncos. Started 13 last year to bring that total to 68 in five years of regular-season play. Missed three games in 1980 with a broken hand. Only the second offensive lineman ever drafted in the first round by the Broncos.

COLLEGE: Was an All-Conference selection while lettering four seasons as a left guard at the University of Virginia. Played in the College All-Star Game and the Senior Bowl. Graduated with a degree in English. Was Dean's list student.

PERSONAL: An avid student of military history, especially the Napoleonic Wars, Glassic possesses a valuable collection of miniature soldiers and has done special TV appearances and programs about his avocation. Unmarried, he lists "general housekeeping" as his off-season occupation, but he owns a store in nearby Arvada called "The Old Soldiers' Home," a shop for other collectors. Tom's personal collection numbers more than 10,000 miniature soldiers.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1976(14), 1977(14), 1978(11), 1979(16), 1980(13).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1977, 1978, 1979, and 1980.

No. 53 **RANDY CHARLES GRADISHAR**

Linebacker



Birthdate — March 3, 1952
Birthplace — Warren, Ohio
Residence — Littleton, Colo.
How Acquired — Draft #1, 1974
College — Ohio State
High School — Champion HS, Champion, Ohio
Height — 6-3
WEight — 230
Pro Year — 8th
Year with Broncos — 8th

Led Bronco defenders in tackles in 1980, marking the sixth consecutive year he has accomplished that feat. Last year's total was 250, his personal single-season high. That figure also brought his career total to 1,416. Played in all 16 games last year despite a season-long struggle with injuries. Now has played in 104 consecutive games as a Bronco. Also intercepted two passes last season and returned them 96 yards. One of those returns was a bizarre play against Cleveland in which Gradishar batted down a Brian Sipe pass. The ball hit Bronco Tom Jackson and bounced into Gradishar's hands and he took off on a team record-setting 93-yd. TD run. The Broncos beat the Browns, 19-16. He now has a career total of 15 interceptions for return yardage of 292 and three TDs. Has played in the Pro Bowl four times. After the 1978 season, Gradishar was All-NFL in virtually every poll taken and named Defensive Player of the Year by AP, UPI, Pro Football Weekly and NEA (George Halas Award). Was named to the Sporting News' All-NFL team after last season and selected defensive MVP by his teammates. Was voted the Earl Hartman Award as defensive MVP by his teammates at the conclusion of the 1980 season.

COLLEGE: Described by Ohio State coach Woody Hayes as "the best linebacker I ever coached at Ohio State," Randy started for three years for the Buckeyes and was named to every All-America team following his senior season, and played in the Hula Bowl, the Coaches' All-America Game and the College All-Star game. Was a member of three Rose Bowl teams at Ohio State. Was also Academic All-America selection. Graduated with degree in distributive education.

PERSONAL: Married and he and wife, Janet, are parents of daughter, Paige (11/15/77). A leader in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes he has also worked with the Chuck Colson prison ministry.

Professional Record

		INTERCEPTIONS				
Year	Club	Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1974	— Denver	14	0	0	0	0
1975	— Denver	14	3	77	25.7	1
1976	— Denver	14	3	44	14.7	1
1977	— Denver	14	3	56	18.7	0
1978	— Denver	16	4	19	4.8	0
1979	— Denver	16	0	0	0	0
1980	— Denver	16	2	96	38.0	1
TOTALS		104	15	292	19.5	3

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1975 and 1976; recovered four fumbles for 33 yards and fumbled once, 1977; recovered two fumbles for 30 yards and one touchdown and fumbled once, 1978; recovered one fumble for 8 yards, 1979.

No. 31 MICHAEL (Mike) HARDEN *Safety*



Birthdate—Feb. 16, 1958
Birthplace—Memphis, Tenn.
Residence—Highland Park, Mich.
How Acquired—Draft #5a, 1980
College—Michigan
High School—Central HS, Detroit, Mich.
Height—6-0
Weight—188
Pro Year—2nd
Year with Broncos—2nd

Played in all 16 games in his rookie year with the Broncos but primarily as a special teams performer. Served as backup strong safety, but saw very little playing time in relief of Billy Thompson. Did manage to get in enough to record three tackles. On special teams kick coverage units, Harden recorded 13 solo tackles and 10 assists.

COLLEGE: Led Michigan defensive backs in total tackles as a senior with 50. Had seven career interceptions in a four-letter career with the Wolverines. Was also a punt returner in college returning 24 for 177 yards (7.4 average). Graduated from Michigan with a degree in social studies.

PERSONAL: Single. This past off-season worked in the sports department of Detroit television station WXYZ-TV. Hobbies include travel, sports cars and horticulture.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980(16). **ADDITIONAL STATISTICS:** Fumbled once, 1980.

No. 27 MAURICE HARVEY *Safety*



Birthdate—January 14, 1956
Birthplace—Cincinnati, Ohio
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—Waivers (Oakland), 1978
College—Ball State
High School—Princeton HS,
Cincinnati, Ohio
Height—5-10
Weight—190
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—3rd

Started three games and played in 15 in 1980 and served as special teams captain for the season. Was voted MVP on special teams by his teammates following the 1978 season. Sat out the 1979 season on injured reserve due to a knee injury and subsequent surgery. Originally a 4th-round draft choice by the Oakland Raiders in the 1978 draft.

COLLEGE: Three-year letterman defensive back at Ball State University and team MVP both junior and senior seasons. Was a starter in the East-West Shrine Game after his senior year. Was first team All Mid-America Conference twice and AP honorable mention All-America in 1977. Graduated with degree in physical education and is working on a master's with concentration on coaching in the off-season.

PERSONAL: Single. Lists basketball, photography and swimming as hobbies. At Princeton HS in Cincinnati, he earned two varsity letters as both a running back and defensive back in football and one in baseball as a pitcher. He played in the three "big" high school all-star games in the area—the East-West in Cincinnati, the Ohio North-South and the Ohio-Pennsylvania.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1978(16), 1979(Injured reserve), 1980(15).

No. 42 ISIAH MOSES WALTER HIPPI

Running Back



Birthdate—Feb. 15, 1956
Birthplace—Chapin, S. C.
Residence—Columbia, S.C.
How Acquired—FA, 1981
College—Nebraska
High School—Chapin HS, Chapin, S.C.
Height—5-11
Weight—202
Pro Year—2
Year with Broncos—1st

Signed as a free agent by the Broncos in the off-season, Hipp was a 4th-round draft choice of the Atlanta Falcons in 1980, but was waived before the regular season began, then picked up by the Oakland Raiders, for whom he played one game.

COLLEGE: All-time Nebraska leading rusher with 3,040 yards after joining the Cornhuskers as a walk-on. Only Nebraska ball carrier to ever rush for back-to-back 1,000 yard seasons (sophomore and junior years). Had three 200-yard, 10 100-yard games in his college career. Best single game was 254 yard performance on 28 carries against Indiana. Was MVP in 1980 Japan Bowl with 82 yards and a TD on 13 carries. Played with Nebraska in post-season Liberty, Orange and Cotton Bowl games.

PERSONAL: Prefers to be called Isiah rather than by college tag of "I.M." Single. At Chapin HS earned varsity letters in basketball and track, as well as football. Was a sprinter and hurdler in track.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980(1).

No. 60 PAUL EUGENE HOWARD *Guard*



Birthdate—Sept. 12, 1950
Birthplace—San Jose, Calif.
Residence—Redding, Calif.
How Acquired—Draft #3a, 1973
College—Brigham Young
High School—Central Valley HS, Central Valley, Calif.
Height—6-3
Weight—260
Pro Year—8th
Year with Broncos—8th

Started 14 games in 1980, missed two due to injury. Entering his eighth season as an active player, Howard has now played a total of 99 games as a Bronco after having been a 3rd-round choice by the club in the 1973 draft. Became a starter halfway through the 1974 season and has held the job, when healthy, ever since. Missed the entire 1976 season with a back injury.

COLLEGE: Earned three varsity letters during an outstanding career at BYU and was first team All-WAC, played in the Senior Bowl and the East-West Shrine Game and was selected for the Coaches' All-America and College All-Star games after his senior season. Played defensive end for two seasons in college before switching to the offensive line. Is a dedicated weight lifter and set Utah state records for bench press, squat and dead lift.

PERSONAL: Married, and he and wife, Kathy have three daughters, DeAnna, Nicole and Melissa. At Central Valley HS in Northern California earned varsity letters in football as a guard, basketball as a forward and track and field in the shot put.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1973(14), 1974(14), 1975(14), 1976(Injured

reserve), 1977(14), 1978(13), 1979(16), 1980(14).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1975 and 1977.

No. 65 GLENN THATCHER HYDE

Offensive Tackle



Birthdate—March 14, 1951

Birthplace—Boston, Mass.

Residence—Denver, Colo.

How Acquired—FA, 1976

College—Pittsburgh

High School—Lexington Berwick Academy, Lexington, Mass.

Height—6-3

Weight—255

Pro Year—6th

Year with Broncos—6th

Started five games last season and played in all 16. Played at both the guard and tackle positions due to the injury siege that hit the Broncos offensive line. Also saw his usual heavy duty schedule as a member of the special teams. During his tenure with the Broncos has also served as center on kicking situations. Began his career in the World Football League in 1974 with Chicago, then played with Charlotte in 1975.

COLLEGE: Lettered at defensive tackle for three years at Pittsburgh and was All-East in his senior year. Played in the Coaches' All-America Game. Also played varsity hockey all four years. Graduated with a degree in physical education and health.

PERSONAL: Single. Is a strong skier and skilled golfer. In high school at Lexington Berwick Academy he earned two letters in football at tackle, two in hockey as a defenseman and two in baseball as a first baseman.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1976(11), 1977(14), 1978(15), 1979(16), 1980(16)

No. 57 TOM JACKSON

Linebacker



Birthdate—April 4, 1951

Birthplace—Cleveland, Ohio

Residence—Denver, Colo.

How Acquired—Draft #4, 1973

College—Louisville

High School—John Adams HS, Cleveland, Ohio

Height—5-11

Weight—220

Pro Year—9th

Year with Broncos—9th

Third-leading tackler in Denver's defense in 1980 with 169, Jackson also contributed 5½ QB sacks for losses totaling 53 yards. Started all 16 games. Did not have an interception for the first time since his rookie year (1973), but his career total of 18 is still the most for any linebacker in Bronco history. During his career he has returned three of those interceptions for TDs, including a 73-yarder against Baltimore in 1977 that secured an important victory enroute to the Super Bowl. Has played in three Pro Bowl games, and has been named All-Pro twice.

COLLEGE: One of the most publicized players in the history of the University of Louisville, he was an All-Missouri Valley Conference selection for three consecutive years and was named to the Walter Camp All-America team. Played in the American

Bowl and Blue-Gray game following his senior season. Majored in business.

PERSONAL: Single. Lists chess and pool as hobbies. As a high school athlete at John Adams HS in Cleveland, earned two football letters as a linebacker, two in baseball and three in wrestling.

Professional Record

INTERCEPTIONS

Year	Club	Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1973—	Denver	8	0	0	0.0	0
1974—	Denver	13	1	39	39.0	0
1975—	Denver	14	2	0	0.0	0
1976—	Denver	14	7	136	19.4	1
1977—	Denver	13	4	95	23.8	1
1978—	Denver	16	3	28	9.3	1
1979—	Denver	13	1	34	34.0	0
1980—	Denver	16	0	0	0.0	0
TOTALS		107	18	332	18.4	3

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once and recovered two fumbles, 1976; fumbled once, 1977, recovered two fumbles for 70 yards, 1979.

No. 30 JAMES DOUGLAS (Jim) JENSEN

Running Back



Birthdate—Nov. 28, 1953

Birthplace—Waterloo, Iowa

Residence—Englewood, Colo.

How Acquired—Trade with Dallas, 1977

College—Iowa

High School—Davenport Central HS,
Davenport, Iowa

Height—6-3

Weight—235

Pro Year—5th

Year with Broncos—4th

Had the best year of his career in 1980 as he led the Broncos in both rushing and pass receiving. Carried 101 times from scrimmage for a total of 476 yards (4.7 avg.) and scored two TDs and caught 49 passes for 377 yards and a TD. Had the best individual game performance of his career last year against the New York Giants with 92 yards on 14 carries (6.6 per carry) and a TD. Longest run of the year also came in that game, a 32-yarder. Best receiving day came in the first San Diego game in which he caught nine for 59 yards. Started 13 games, played in 14, missed two with injury. Was second-round draft choice by Dallas in 1976, but never carried the ball for Cowboys. Did return kickoffs in Dallas, taking 13 for 313 yards. Came to Denver just a week before the regular season opened in 1977, played in just 11 games. Missed the entire 1978 season with a knee injury.

COLLEGE: Earned four varsity letters during a brilliant career as a running back at the University of Iowa where he also earned four letters in track and field with the unusual triple of competition in the shot, discus and hurdles. Played in the post-season Senior Bowl.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Barbara, and they are the parents of two children, son Cody (10/25/79) and daughter Jessica (11/14/77). At Davenport Central HS in Davenport, Ia., he lettered twice in football, twice in basketball and three times in track as a hurdler (both high and low), a relay runner and in the shot and discus. Lists tennis and fishing as hobbies. Is becoming well known around the Denver area for his artistic ability and has his own business, Jensen Art, Design & Photography. He does wildlife art with pastels and pencil and has his work on display in a Denver gallery.

Professional Record

Year	Club	Games	RUSHING				RECEIVING			
			Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1976—Dallas		14	None				None			
1977—Denver		11	40	143	3.6	1	4	63	15.8	0
1978—Denver				Did not play. Injured reserve.						
1979—Denver		16	106	400	3.8	1	19	144	7.6	1
1980—Denver		16	101	476	4.7	2	49	377	7.7	1
TOTALS		56	247	1019	4.1	4	72	584	8.1	2

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Returned 13 kickoffs for 313 yards and a 24.1 average for Dallas in 1976; fumbled once for Denver in 1977; fumbled twice, 1979; fumbled twice, 1980.

No. 75 RULON KENT JONES

Defensive End



Birthdate—March 25, 1958
Birthplace—Salt Lake City, Utah
Residence—Thornton, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #2, 1980
College—Utah State University
High School—Weber HS, Ogden, Utah
Height—6-6
Weight—260
Pro Year—2nd
Year with Broncos—2nd

Selected to All-Rookie teams by UPI and Pro Football Weekly after his first season in the NFL, a debut in which he played all 16 regular-season games, but started only three. However, as a member of the pass rush unit, he managed to lead the squad in QB sacks with 11½, the most ever by a Denver rookie and the most by a Bronco since Richard Jackson's 1971 Pro Bowl season. Jackson had 10 that year. Jones had 82 tackles, recovered a fumble against Philadelphia in his first NFL game, and was credited with a safety in the first Seattle game. Best single-game performance was in the second Oakland game in which he had three sacks and seven tackles. Was Denver's first draftee in 1980.

COLLEGE: Was a four-year starter and letterman at Utah State where he missed only one game during his collegiate career. In 1979 was selected to second team spots on both the AP and NEA All-America squads and was honorable mention by UPI. Was first team All-Pacific Coast Athletic Assn. and was PCAA Defensive Player of the Year after his senior season. Single best game as a collegian was against Fresno State in which, as a senior, he recorded 15 tackles and three QB sacks. Capped his college career with play in the East-West Shrine Game and the Senior Bowl.

PERSONAL: At Weber HS in Ogden, Utah, Jones earned two letters each in football and basketball. Married, wife's name is Kathy. They have a son, Garrett (4/4/78).

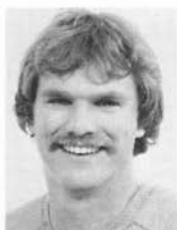
Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980(16).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, credited with one safety, 1980.

No. 16 JEFF SCOTT KNAPPLE

Quarterback



Birthdate—Aug. 27, 1956
Birthplace—Wertzberg, West Germany
Residence—Boulder, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1980
College—Northern Colorado (Greeley)
High School—Fairview HS, Boulder, Colo.
Height—6-2
Weight—200
Pro Year—2nd
Year with Broncos—2nd

A member of the regular roster through the entire 16-game regular-season schedule last year, Knapple played in just two games, threw just four passes and completed only one, yet he is still considered very much in the chase for the QB job with the Broncos this season. His appearances came against Dallas, in the second game of the season, and against Seattle in the season's finale. Had been a free agent signed by the Buffalo Bills prior to the 1979 season, but was released during training camp.

COLLEGE: Began his college career at UCLA ('74), but transferred to the University of Colorado and "redshirted" through 1975. Became a starter and led Colorado to the Orange Bowl against Ohio State in the 1976 season and played at Colorado in 1977 before winding up his career at the University of Northern Colorado in 1978. His senior season statistics showed 178 completions in 349 attempts for 51%, 2,191 yards and 16 TDs. Finished third in NCAA Division II total offense with an average of 213.2 yards per game.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Tami. One of the outstanding high school athletes in Colorado history, he was All-State in football, basketball and baseball in his senior season at Fairview HS in Boulder.

Professional Record

PASSING

Year	Club	Games	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Int.
1980	Denver	2	4	1	25.0	15	0	0
TOTALS		2	4	1	25.0	15	0	0

RUSHING

Year	Club	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1980	Denver	6	0	0.0	0
TOTALS		6	0	0.0	0

No. 22 AARON DOUGLAS KYLE

Cornerback



Birthdate—April 6, 1954
Birthplace—Detroit, Mich.
Residence—Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1980
College—Wyoming
High School—Technical HS, Detroit, Mich.
Height—5-11
Weight—185
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—2nd

Broncos picked Kyle up on procedural waivers last season after Dallas had attempted to waive him through to their active roster in the seventh week of the regular season. Joined Denver prior to the first Kansas City game, then stepped in as starting

right cornerback the following week against the Giants as Steve Foley moved to starting free safety. Did not have an interception, but wound up his "short" season with 72 tackles and a fumble recovery, which he returned for 15 yards. Played in 10 games, started the final nine. Was the No. 1 choice by Dallas in the 1976 draft and became the starting right cornerback for the Cowboys in his second season. Ironically, in Super Bowl XII, Kyle was a key man in stopping the Denver threat as he had three tackles, an interception and a fumble recovery that set up the game-clinching TD.

COLLEGE: In 1975 Kyle was an All-Western Athletic Conference selection and played in the East-West Shrine Game. At Wyoming he played safety on defense until his senior year, when he was shifted to cornerback and used on either side.

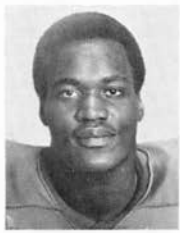
PERSONAL: A journalism major in college, Kyle has worked as a news and sports writer and an advertising copy writer in past off-seasons. Prior to Super Bowl XII, he wrote his own "interview" for a Denver newspaper. Aaron and wife, Judy, have a daughter, Ashley Dyanne (9/3/79).

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS					
		Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1976—	Dallas	14			None		
1977—	Dallas	14	1	9	9.0	9	0
1978—	Dallas	16	3	20	6.7	17	0
1979—	Dallas	16	2	0	0.0	0	0
1980—	Denver	10	0	0	0.0	0	0
TOTALS.....		70	6	29	4.8	17	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles, 1978; recovered one fumble for 15 yards, 1980.

No. 67 MELVIN (Mel) LAND Linebacker



Birthdate—Nov. 30, 1955
Birthplace—Youngstown, Ohio
Residence—Campbell, Ohio
How Acquired—FA, 1981
College—Michigan State
High School—Memorial HS, Campbell, Ohio
Height—6-3
Weight—242
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—1st

Signed as free agent after having spent part of the 1980 season with the San Francisco 49ers. Was released about mid-season. Came to San Francisco as a free agent from Miami where he had been a third-round draft choice in 1979. Served mostly as a special teams performer with both previous teams.

COLLEGE: Captain and three-year starter at Michigan State, Land was an All-Big 10 defensive tackle and was voted by his teammates the outstanding defensive player in his senior year. Graduated with a degree in communications.

PERSONAL: Was a three-sport star, football, basketball and track, at Memorial HS in Campbell, Ohio. Was a sprinter in track. Single.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1979 (16), 1980 (3).
ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1979.

No. 72 DON LATIMER***Defensive Tackle***

Birthdate—March 1, 1955
Birthplace—Fort Pierce, Fla.
Residence—Aurora, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #1, 1978
College—Miami (Fla.)
High School—Fort Pierce Central HS, Fort Pierce, Fla.
Height—6-2
Weight—265
Pro Year—4th
Year with Broncos—4th

Played in 14 games last year and became a member of the so-called "Designated Pass Rush" unit along with Greg Boyd and Rulon Jones. Missed two games due to injury, but still recorded 71 tackles and had one QB sack. Also intercepted a pass in the first Seattle game and ran it back 15 yards for his first TD as a professional.

COLLEGE: Lettered two years at the University of Miami where he played for former Bronco coach Lou Saban. Played in the Blue-Gray Game. Graduated with a degree in physical education.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Cynthia, and they are parents of a daughter, Siobhan (4/7/81). At Central HS in Fort Pierce, he earned three letters each in football, basketball and track. Was a prep All-American in basketball and a sprinter in track with a 22.2 time in the 220-yd. dash.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1978 (14), 1979 (15), 1980 (14).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble for four yards, 1979. Intercepted a pass, returned it for 15-yd. TD, 1980.

No. 76 KENNETH DONALD LONG***Offensive Tackle***

Birthdate—July 24, 1953
Birthplace—Pittsburgh, Pa.
Residence—Ravenna, Ohio
How Acquired—FA, 1981
College—Purdue
High School—Ravenna HS, Ravenna, O.
Height—6-3
Weight—265
Pro Year—2nd
Year with Broncos—1st

Last active in the 1979 season with the Detroit Lions who selected him on the second round of the 1976 NFL draft. Played 13 games in his rookie season, but has played very little since. Sat out 1977 on injured reserve, played briefly in 1978, on retired reserve in 1979, played briefly in 1980 before being waived.

COLLEGE: Played tackle at Purdue where he was a three-year starter and was captain in his senior year. Played in both the Blue-Gray and Senior Bowl games, and was named All-Big 10 and All-American.

PERSONAL: Operates a health club in Ravenna. Married, wife's name is Nancy. Was a four-letterman at tackle in high school. Lists tropical fish, hunting and fishing as hobbies.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1976 (13).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Returned two kickoffs for 18 yards, 1976.

No. 41 ROB WILLIAM LYTLE

Running Back



Birthdate — Nov. 12, 1954
Birthplace — Fremont, Ohio
Residence — Fremont, Ohio
How Acquired — Draft #2, 1977
College — Michigan
High School — Fremont-Ross HS,
Fremont, Ohio
Height — 6-1
Weight — 198
Pro Year — 5th
Year with Broncos — 5th

Played in all 16 games last year, wound up as the club's fourth-leading ball carrier with 223 yards and a TD in 57 carries. Best day of the season came in the final game against Seattle when he gained 89 yards on 11 carries. Also caught 18 passes for 177 yards in 1980. Now has totaled 1,343 yards with 344 carries (3.9 avg.) and has caught 54 passes for 505 yards in his four-year career as a Bronco. Best game of his career was in 1978 when he ran for 110 yards and one TD in 16 carries against Green Bay.

COLLEGE: Unanimous All-America selection after a great career at Michigan. He won the Big 10 rushing title as well as the league's all-purpose running championship (including kick returns). Michigan coach Bo Schembechler called him "the greatest back I've ever coached or been around." Third in 1977 Heisman trophy voting. As a senior ran 203 times for 1,402 yds., a 6.9 average, and 13 TDs. Played in the Hula Bowl.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Tracy, and they are parents of a daughter, Erin (4/12/80). Moved back to his home town of Fremont, Ohio, in the off-season to join the family clothing business.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RUSHING					RECEIVING			
		Games	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1977	— Denver	14	104	408	3.9	1	17	198	11.6	1
1978	— Denver	13	81	341	4.2	2	6	37	6.2	0
1979	— Denver	15	102	371	3.6	4	13	93	7.1	0
1980	— Denver	16	57	223	3.9	1	18	177	9.8	0
TOTALS		58	344	1343	3.9	8	54	505	9.4	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once, 1977; recovered one fumble for -3 yards, 1978; fumbled once, recovered three fumbles, 1979; fumbled once, 1980.

No. 66 BRISON MANOR, JR.

Defensive End



Birthdate — Aug. 10, 1952
Birthplace — Bridgeton, N.J.
Residence — North Little Rock, Ark.
How Acquired — FA, 1976
College — Arkansas
High School — Bridgeton HS, Bridgeton,
N.J.
Height — 6-4
Weight — 248
Pro Year — 5th
Year with Broncos — 5th

Played in all 16 games in 1980, started 13 as a member of the regular defensive line which includes Barney Chavous and Rubin Carter. Recorded 64 tackles, including two QB sacks and recovered a fumble. Has been a starter with the Broncos since the beginning of the 1979 season. Originally drafted in the 15th round

of the 1975 NFL draft by the New York Jets. Signed as a free agent by the Broncos in 1976, but sat out that season on injured reserve.

COLLEGE: Played defensive tackle at the University of Arkansas as a starter for two seasons after transferring from Pratt (Kans.) Community Junior College, where he had been selected as a JC All-America as defensive end. Majored in physical education.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is DeLois. Lists fishing and hunting, playing basketball as hobbies. At Bridgeton HS in New Jersey, he lettered three years as a defensive tackle in football, and earned three letters in wrestling.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1977 (13), 1978 (14), 1979 (16), 1980 (16).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1979, recovered one fumble for 5 yards, 1980.

No. 55 MARK CHRISTOPHER MERRILL

Linebacker



Birthdate—May 5, 1955

Birthplace—St. Paul, Minn.

Residence—New Brighton, Minn.

How Acquired—FA, 1980

College—Minnesota

High School—Kellogg HS, St. Paul, Minn.

Height—6-4

Weight—240

Pro Year—3rd

Year with Broncos—1st

Signed by Broncos as free agent in off-season. Was waived by Chicago prior to the 1980 regular season. Originally a second-round selection by the New York Jets in the 1978 draft. Played in all 16 Jet games in 1978, started four of five Jet games in 1979 before being waived and picked up by the Bears. Played in nine games with the Bears to finish the 1979 season.

COLLEGE: Three-year Minnesota starter at defensive end. Honorable mention All-America by Sporting News and second team AP All-Big 10 as a senior. Played in the East-West Shrine Game, Hall of Fame Classic and Challenge Bowl (Big 10 vs. Pac 10). Originally a tight end. Dropped out of school after his freshman year, but returned a year later 20 pounds heavier and switched to defensive end. Returned two blocked punts for TDs as a junior. Earned a B.S. in business.

PERSONAL: Single. Lists Judo, in which he has a Black Belt, as his major hobby. Three-time Minnesota state Judo champion. Lettered in football, basketball and baseball at Kellogg HS in St. Paul.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1978 (16), 1979 (15).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles, 1979.

No. 71 CLAUDIE DEE MINOR, JR.

Offensive Tackle



Birthdate—April 21, 1951

Birthplace—Pomona, Calif.

Residence—Englewood, Colo.

How Acquired—Draft #3, 1974

College—San Diego State

High School—Garey HS, Pomona, Calif.

Height—6-4

Weight—278

Pro Year—8th

Year with Broncos—8th

Entering just his eighth season, but, along with guard Paul Howard, is a senior member of the Denver offensive line. Missed his first game and his first start since becoming a Bronco when a hip injury forced him out of last season's game against the New York Jets. Until that point, he had started 98 consecutive games, a streak which had begun with his rookie year. After missing the Jet game, came back and started the remainder of the season. Has now played in 103 games, started all of them. Has played both left and right tackle positions as a Bronco.

COLLEGE: Started every game at San Diego State in two seasons after transferring from Mt. San Antonio JC. Most Valuable Offensive Lineman at San Diego; Most Valuable Defensive Lineman at Mt. San Antonio. Selected to play in Coaches' All-America Game. Graduated with degree in recreation administration. Was recruited to San Diego State by current Bronco offensive coordinator Rod Dowhower.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Vicki and they are parents of three daughters, Maisha 4, Keesha 3 and Sharinn, 1. Is in the construction business in the off-season. Lists racquetball, fishing, pool and "relaxing" as hobbies. Very active in Fellowship Of Christian Athletes activities. At Garey HS in Pomona, CA., played both offense and defense in earning three football letters. Also lettered twice in track and field as a weight man. Opened a restaurant, "Claudie Minor's Original Pic-A-Rib," in Aurora in the off-season.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1974 (14), 1975 (14), 1976 (14), 1977 (14), 1978 (16), 1979 (16), 1980 (15).

No. 82 EMERY MATTHEW MOOREHEAD

Wide Receiver



Birthdate—March 22, 1954

Birthplace—Evanston, Ill.

Residence—Broomfield, Colo.

How Acquired—Trade from NY Giants, 1980

College—Colorado

High School—Evanston (Ill.) Township

Height—6-2

Weight—210

Pro Year—5th

Year with Broncos—2nd

Served primarily as special teams player in seeing action in all 16 Broncos games last year, but did see some action as a wide receiver and running back. Carried just twice for seven yards. Was the sixth-round draft choice of the New York Giants in 1977. While with New York, played running back, wide receiver and tight end during an injury-marred three-year stay. Was starting wide receiver for the Giants as a rookie, but a knee injury forced him out of the job in 1978. Was a running back in 1979, but, again, injury (ribs) took him off the roster before season's end.

COLLEGE: Won three varsity letters as a wingback and receiver at Colorado, was named offensive captain in his senior year and played in both the Bluebonnet and Orange Bowl games. His career reception average of 18.7 is a Colorado school record. He had 35 catches for 604 yds. and a 4.1 rushing average in his final two years. A communications major, he worked for the campus TV station as a producer/announcer and did some work at a Denver TV station as an undergraduate.

PERSONAL: Married. He and wife, Leslee, are parents of a son, Aaron (11/5/80). Twelve-letterman at Township HS, Evanston, Ill., with four letters each in football, basketball and

track and field. Wants a career in television when his playing days are over. While in school, served an internship with KOA in Denver. Enjoys camping, canoeing and skiing.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RUSHING					RECEIVING			
		Games	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1977—Giants		13	1	5	5.0	0	12	143	11.9	1
1978—Giants		10		None			3	45	15.0	0
1979—Giants		13	36	95	2.6	0	9	62	6.9	0
1980—Denver		16	2	7	3.5	0	None			
TOTALS		52	39	107	2.7	0	24	250	10.4	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Returned four kickoffs for 65 yards and a 16.3 average, 1977; returned two kickoffs for 52 yards and a 26.0 average, 1978.

No. 7 LARRY CRAIG (Craig) MORTON

Quarterback



Birthdate—Feb. 5, 1943

Birthplace—Flint, Mich.

Residence—Englewood, Colo.

How Acquired—Trade with N.Y. Giants, 1977

College—California

High School—Campbell HS, Campbell, Calif.

Height—6-4

Weight—210

Pro Year—17th

Year with Broncos—5th

Once again came out of a reserve role to reestablish himself as Denver's starting quarterback for most of the 1980 season. After six games, and with the club at 3-3, Morton replaced an ailing Matt Robinson and started every game from there on except the finale against Seattle. Actually played in 12 games, started in nine. For the year he completed 183 of 301 pass attempts for 2,150 yards and 12 TDs. He threw 13 interceptions. His first start of the 1980 season was against Kansas City at Mile High Stadium, a game in which he completed 18 of 32 pass attempts for 199 yards and two TDs in a losing cause as the Broncos went down, 23-17. Best single game of the 1980 season was the second game against Oakland in which he completed 18 of 30 passes for 338 yards and a TD. Morton's 1980 performance ranked him third (behind Brian Sipe and Dan Fouts) among AFC passers and 10th in the entire NFL. Has played in 190 games in his 16 years to date and his career figures now stand at 3,384 passes attempted, 1,810 completed (53.4%) for 24,520 yards. He has thrown for 162 TDs and 166 interceptions. Even though he has been a Bronco for just four seasons, Morton is second in the Denver record book (behind Frank Tripuka) in number of passes attempted (1,192) and first in completions (664), first in yards gained (8,507) and first in number of TD passes (53). On a total career level, Morton ranks 16th in NFL annals for number of passes attempted, ranks 15th in number completed, and ranks 16th in total passing yardage. Among quarterbacks still active in the NFL, Morton ranks third (behind Jim Hart, 4,704, and Bob Griese, 3,429) in passes attempted, third (Hart, 2,387; Griese 1,926) in completions, and third (Hart, 32,154; Griese, 25,092) in total passing yardage. Interception avoidance is one of his strong points. His percentage of .040 is the best in Bronco history, and, in 1978, he had a streak of 144 consecutive passes without an interception. Was a first-round draft choice of the Dallas Cowboys prior to the 1965 season, spent nine full seasons with Dallas before being traded to the New York Giants six games into the 1974 season. Played eight games with New York in 1974 and the 1975 and 1976

seasons before joining the Broncos prior to the 1977 season. Was AFC Player of the Year after the 1977 season.

COLLEGE: Was college consensus All-America at the University of California at Berkeley where he played for current Kansas City coach Marv Levy. Earned three football letters and two in baseball. Good enough baseball player to get a bonus offer to sign, but turned it down in favor of football. Graduated with a degree in speech.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Susan and they are parents of a son, Michael (10/4/79). Craig has many interests, including the oil business, which occupy his off-season time. At Campbell, CA., HS, he was four year letterman as a football QB, four as a basketball guard and four as a baseball outfielder.

Professional Record

PASSING

Year	Club	Games	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Int.
1965	— Dallas	4	34	17	50.0	173	2	4
1966	— Dallas	6	27	13	48.1	225	3	1
1967	— Dallas	10	137	69	50.4	978	10	10
1968	— Dallas	13	85	44	51.8	752	4	6
1969	— Dallas	13	302	162	53.6	2619	21	15
1970	— Dallas	12	207	102	49.3	1819	15	7
1971	— Dallas	10	143	78	54.5	1131	7	8
1972	— Dallas	14	339	185	54.6	2396	15	21
1973	— Dallas	14	32	13	40.6	174	3	1
1974	— Dallas (6)							
	Giants (8)	14	239	124	51.9	1522	9	13
1975	— Giants	14	363	186	52.3	2359	11	16
1976	— Giants	12	284	153	53.9	1865	9	20
1977	— Denver	14	254	131	51.6	1929	14	8
1978	— Denver	14	267	146	54.7	1802	11	8
1979	— Denver	14	370	204	55.1	2626	16	19
1980	— Denver	12	301	183	60.8	2150	12	13
TOTALS		190	3384	1810	53.4	24,520	162	166

RUSHING

Year	Club	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1965	— Dallas	3	-8	-2.7	0
1966	— Dallas	7	50	7.1	0
1967	— Dallas	15	42	2.8	0
1968	— Dallas	4	28	7.0	2
1969	— Dallas	16	62	3.9	1
1970	— Dallas	16	37	2.3	0
1971	— Dallas	4	9	2.3	1
1972	— Dallas	8	26	3.3	2
1973	— Dallas	1	0	0.0	0
1974	— Dallas (6)				
	Giants (8)	4	5	1.3	0
1975	— Giants	22	72	3.3	0
1976	— Giants	13	35	2.7	0
1977	— Denver	31	125	4.0	4
1978	— Denver	17	71	4.2	0
1979	— Denver	22	17	0.8	1
1980	— Denver	21	29	1.4	1
TOTALS		204	600	2.9	12

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1971 and 1972; recovered one fumble for minus 12 yards, 1973; recovered two fumbles for minus 14 yards, 1974; recovered three fumbles for minus 15 yards, 1975; recovered three fumbles, 1976; recovered three fumbles for minus 18 yards, 1977; recovered one fumble, 1978; recovered two fumbles for minus 11 yards, 1979; recovered three fumbles for minus seven yards, 1980. Fumbles: 1965 (2), 1967 (5), 1968 (1), 1969 (4), 1970 (1), 1971 (1), 1972 (4), 1973 (1), 1974 (4), 1975 (9), 1976 (7), 1977 (1), 1978 (6), 1979 (9), 1980 (4).

No. 25 HAVEN CHRISTOPHER MOSES

Wide Receiver



Birthdate—July 27, 1946
Birthplace—Los Angeles, Calif.
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—Trade with Buffalo, 1972
College—San Diego State
High School—San Pedro HS, San Pedro, Calif.
Height—6-3
Weight—200
Pro Year—14th
Year with Broncos—10th

Contemplated retirement after last season, but, with the arrival of Coach Dan Reeves and a new offensive philosophy, decided to return for at least the 1981 season. By doing so he remains the second-leading active pass receiver in the AFC (Harold Jackson, New England, is the leader, but most of his career was spent in the NFC) with a career total of 433 catches for 7,875 yards and 55 TDs. In his nine seasons as a Bronco, Moses has caught 287 passes to rank third (behind Lionel Taylor, 543, and Riley Odoms, 346) among Bronco all-time receivers. His Bronco yardage, 5,204, is second only to Taylor's 6,872, and his 43 TD catches as a Bronco put him just one behind Taylor in the Denver book. Last year he caught 38 passes for 674 yards and four TDs. Best individual day of the year came in the second Oakland game when he caught six for 141 yards. Top games of previous years include a five-catch, 168-yards, two TDs performance as the Broncos beat Oakland on New Year's Day, 1978, in the AFC Championship game, and a three TD game in 1973 in which he tied a team record for single-game TD receptions. Missed his first game as a Bronco last year when injury forced him out of the first Oakland game. Buffalo's first-round choice in 1968, came to Broncos in 1972 in a straight player trade for wide receiver Dwight Harrison.

COLLEGE: Two-year letterman and All-America as a wide receiver and defensive back at San Diego State where he played for current San Diego head coach Don Coryell and current Bronco receiver coach Rod Dowhower. Played in the East-West Shrine Game, the Senior Bowl (MVP) and the College All-Star Game. Graduated with a degree in Sociology. Transferred from Harbor JC in Los Angeles.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Joyce and they are parents of two sons, Christopher (2/28/72) and Bryan (2/4/78). Full-time employee of the Adolph Coors Co. in the Community Relations Department in the off-season. Very active in community projects throughout the year. Was an outstanding high school athlete at Fermin Lasuen HS in San Pedro, CA., winning four letters each in football and baseball and two in basketball.

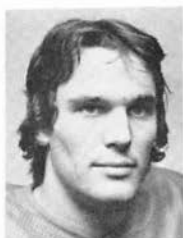
Professional Record

Year	Club	RUSHING					RECEIVING			
		Games	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1968	—Buffalo	14	5	-4	-0.8	0	42	633	15.1	2
1969	—Buffalo	14		None			39	752	19.3	5
1970	—Buffalo	14		None			39	726	18.6	2
1971	—Buffalo	14		None			23	470	20.4	2
1972	—Buffalo	(5)								
	Denver	(8)	1	11	5.5	0	18	284	15.8	6
1973	—Denver	14	3	25	8.3	1	28	518	18.5	8
1974	—Denver	14	2	16	8.0	0	34	559	16.4	2
1975	—Denver	14		None			29	505	17.4	2
1976	—Denver	14	1	-4	-4.0	0	25	498	19.9	7
1977	—Denver	14	5	-1	-0.2	0	27	539	20.0	4
1978	—Denver	16		None			37	744	20.1	4
1979	—Denver	16		None			54	943	17.5	6
1980	—Denver	15		None			38	674	17.7	4
TOTALS.....		185	18	43	2.4	1	433	7875	18.2	55

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered two fumbles, 1977; fumbled once, 1978; fumbled twice, recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 58 ROBERT C. (Rob) NAIRNE

Linebacker



Birthdate — March 24, 1954
Birthplace — Redding, Calif.
Residence — Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired — FA, 1977
College — Oregon State
High School — Ferndale HS, Ferndale, Calif.
Height — 6-4
Weight — 227
Pro Year — 5th
Year with Broncos — 5th

Stepped in as a starter after regular outside linebacker Bob Swenson was injured in the pre-season. Started all 16 regular-season games and recorded 150 tackles, had one interception (second Oakland game) and recovered two fumbles in the game against the New York Jets. Had started four games the previous year in place of injured Joe Rizzo.

COLLEGE: Three-year letterman at Oregon State as a linebacker, leading the team in tackles in his senior year. Graduated with a degree in marketing.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Jacqueline. Lists skiing, golf and basketball as his hobbies. Earned 13 letters as a high school athlete at Ferndale HS, Ferndale, Ca., four as a linebacker/fullback in football, four as a basketball center, four as a baseball first baseman and one as a hurdler in track.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1977 (13), 1978 (16), 1979 (10), 1980 (16).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Returned blocked punt 22 yards for touchdown, 1979; recovered two fumbles in one game (Jets), 1980.

No. 88 RILEY ODOMS

Tight End



Birthdate — March 1, 1950
Birthplace — Luling, Tex.
Residence — Houston, Tex.
How Acquired — Draft #1, 1972
College — Houston
High School — West Oso HS, Corpus Christi, Texas
Height — 6-4
Weight — 235
Pro Year — 10th
Year with Broncos — 10th

Led Denver in TDs in 1980 with six and was the club's third-leading receiver with 39 catches for 590 yards and a 15.1 per catch average. Missed one game (Cleveland) because of injury. Best day of last year came in the second Oakland game when he caught eight passes for 128 yards and a TD, that also ranks as the most single-game catches of his career to date. Caught six passes each against the Jets, for 77 yards and a TD, and Seattle (first game), for 92 yards and a TD. His career marks have now reached 346 catches for 5,095 yards and 36 TDs. His reception total is second (behind Lionel Taylor's 543), his yardage total is third (behind Taylor's 6,872 and Haven Moses' 5,204), and his TD total is also third (behind Taylor's 44 and Moses' 43) in the Bronco record books. Has played in four Pro Bowl games.

COLLEGE: All-America tight end at the University of Houston

in 1971, he played in the Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl and the Senior Bowl. Was fifth player taken in the entire draft after his senior season.

PERSONAL: Married, and he and wife, Alnetia, are parents of a daughter, Veronica (9/7/71). Riley went to West Oso HS in Corpus Christi, Tex.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RUSHING					RECEIVING			
		Games	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1972	—Denver	14	5	72	14.4	0	21	320	15.2	1
1973	—Denver	14	5	53	10.6	0	43	629	14.6	7
1974	—Denver	14	4	25	6.3	0	42	639	15.2	6
1975	—Denver	14	5	27	5.4	0	40	544	13.6	3
1976	—Denver	14	3	36	12.0	2	30	477	15.9	3
1977	—Denver	14		None			37	429	11.6	3
1978	—Denver	16	2	5	2.5	0	54	829	15.4	6
1979	—Denver	13	1	-7	-7.0	0	40	638	15.9	1
1980	—Denver	15		None			39	590	15.1	6
TOTALS		113	25	211	8.4	2	346	5,095	8.6	36

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1972; recovered one fumble for a touchdown, 1975; fumbled twice and recovered one fumble, 1978; recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 46 RICHARD DAVID (Dave) PRESTON

Running Back



Birthdate — May 29, 1955
Birthplace — Dayton, Ohio
Residence — Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired — FA, 1978
College — Bowling Green
High School — Defiance Senior HS, Defiance, Ohio
Height — 5-10
Weight — 195
Pro Year — 4th
Year with Broncos — 4th

Started 10 of the 12 games he played last year and wound up with 385 yards and four TDs on 111 carries for a 3.5 yards per carry average. He also caught 35 passes for 309 yards, returned five kickoffs for 106 yards and returned a punt for seven yards. Best rushing game in 1980 was 52 yards in 14 carries in the second Kansas City game. Top receiving performance came against the Jets when he caught eight for 67 yards. Missed four games on injured reserve after a rib injury in the first San Diego game. Selected by New England in the 12th round of the 1977 draft, later released and signed by the Broncos as a free agent.

COLLEGE: Earned four letters as a tailback at Bowling Green University, making All-Conference and All-American honorable mention. Also won an NCAA post-graduate scholarship. Graduated with a degree in business administration. Academic All-American.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Mary. They are parents of two daughters, Sara (8/27/79) and Caitlin (11/3/80). Dave is chairman of the Colorado Sports Committee for Muscular Distrophy and a member of the National Sports Committee. He has an active interest in architectural drawing and solar energy. At Defiance HS, Defiance, O., Dave was a three-year letterman in both football and track, as a hurdler and long-jumper.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RUSHING					RECEIVING			
		Games	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1978	—Denver	16	66	296	4.5	1	24	199	8.3	1
1979	—Denver	10	43	169	3.9	1	19	137	7.2	1
1980	—Denver	12	111	385	3.5	4	35	309	8.8	0
TOTALS		38	220	850	3.9	6	78	645	8.3	2

	PUNT RETURNS				KICKOFF RETURNS			
1978—Denver	10	68	6.8	0	7	154	22.0	0
1979—Denver	7	78	11.1	0	13	336	25.8	0
1980—Denver	1	7	7.0	0	5	106	21.2	0
TOTALS.....	18	151	8.4	0	25	596	23.8	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled four times and recovered one fumble, 1978; fumbled once and passed once (incomplete), 1979; fumbled twice and recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 11 LUKE EARL PRESTRIDGE *Punter*



Birthdate—Sept. 17, 1956
Birthplace—Houston, Tex.
Residence—Englewood, Colo.
How Acquired—Draft #7, 1979
College—Baylor
High School—Sharpstown HS, Houston, Tex.
Height—6-5
Weight—225
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—3rd

Leading punter in the AFC in 1980 and second-leading punter (to Giants' Dave Jennings) in the NFL with a gross average of 43.9 yards per punt and a net average of 35.9. Longest of the 1980 season was 57 yards, but his personal mark is a 63-yarder kicked against San Diego in his rookie year. Busiest day last year came in the fourth game when he punted seven times for 281 yards and a 40.1 average. As a rookie, he punted 10 times against Los Angeles with a 43.5 average for his career single-game high to date.

COLLEGE: Lettered three years as a punter for Baylor. As a junior his 43.7 avg. set a school record, was 7th in the nation, 4th in the SWC. His senior mark of 42.7 was 13th in the nation, 3rd in the SWC. Lettered four years as a superior first baseman and was all-SWC in '78 and '79, for championship teams in those years. Baylor also won south central regional titles and played in the College World Series in 1978-79. Luke has a degree in business. Wife, Diane, has a degree in education and a master's in speech pathology from Baylor.

PERSONAL: The Prestridges now make their home in Englewood, Colo. Luke lists flying as a hobby. Is also a good golfer. At Sharpstown HS in Houston, Luke won three football letters as a QB, LB and punter, two as a basketball forward, and three as a baseball 3rd baseman.

Professional Record

Year	Club	Games	PUNTING							RUSHING			
			No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	In 20	LG	Blk.	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1979—	Denver....	16	89	3555	39.9	7	17	63	0	1	29	29.0	0
1980—	Denver....	16	70	3076	43.9	6	10	57	0	None			
TOTALS....		32	159	6631	41.7	13	27	63	0	1	29	29.0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Passed once, incomplete, 1979.

No. 32 TONY WAYNE REED *Running Back*



Birthdate—March 3, 1955
Birthplace—San Francisco, Calif.
Residence—Overland Park, Kan.
How Acquired—Trade from Kansas City, 1981
College—Colorado
High School—Chofu HS, Tokyo, Japan
Height—5-10
Weight—197
Pro Year—5th
Year with Broncos—1st

Came to the Broncos in a trade with the Kansas City Chiefs consummated on draft day, 1981. Was Chiefs' second-round choice in the 1977 draft and promptly established himself as one of the better running backs in the game. In his second season with Kansas City he rushed for 1,053 yards and six TDs on 206 carries (5.1 avg.). That same year he caught 48 passes for 483 yards and one TD. In his four seasons to date, hampered at times by injury, Reed has run for 2,184 yards and nine TDs on 513 carries and has caught 138 passes for 1,382 yards and two TDs. He has had five 100-yds.-plus games in his career, one as a rookie, three in 1978 and one in 1979. He played sparingly in 1980, had only 68 carries for 180 for the year, but managed to catch 44 passes (Bronco leader Jim Jensen caught 49) for 422 yards and a TD. His last 100-yd. performance was against the New York Giants when he went 106 yards on 20 carries. Also, in that same game, he caught eight passes for 103 additional yards. His best single-game rushing figure was in 1978 against Seattle with 121 yards in just 11 carries. His longest individual run is 62 yards, also against Seattle in that 1978 game. He was the third running back taken in the 1977 draft (after Ricky Bell and Tony Dorsett).

COLLEGE: Transferred to Colorado from Antelope Valley (CA.) JC, and became one of the best running backs in the Big-Eight Conference. In his senior year he ran for 1,210 yards and five TDs on 264 carries. Was named All-Big-Eight by both AP and UPI and was a second-team All-America choice by AP. Played in two post-season games with Colorado, 1976 against Texas in the Bluebonnet Bowl, and 1977 against Ohio State in the Orange Bowl. Rushed for 100 or more yards in nine games during his career at CU. Majored in business.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Jackie, and they are the parents of two sons, Tony, Jr. (6/12/77) and Andrew (3/9/80). Now lives in Overland Park, Kans., but has plans to move to the Denver area soon. Has lived in several areas around the world and attended Chofu HS in Tokyo where his father was stationed with the U. S. Air Force. As a prep athlete, he earned three letters in football, three in basketball and one each in baseball and track. He was a sprinter and high jumper in track, a shortstop in baseball. Lists fishing, camping, water-skiing, basketball, racquetball and golf as hobbies.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RUSHING					RECEIVING			
		Games	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1977	— Chiefs	14	126	505	4.0	2	12	125	10.4	0
1978	— Chiefs	16	206	1053	5.1	6	48	483	10.1	1
1979	— Chiefs	11	113	446	4.0	1	34	352	10.4	0
1980	— Chiefs	16	68	180	2.6	0	44	422	9.6	1
TOTALS		57	513	2184	4.3	9	138	1382	10.0	2

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1977; recovered one fumble, 1978; recovered two fumbles, 1979.

No. 17 MATTHEW GILLETTE (Matt) ROBINSON

Quarterback



Birthdate — June 28, 1955

Birthplace — Farmington, Mich.

Residence — Denver, Colo.

How Acquired — Trade from NY Jets, 1980

College — University of Georgia

High School — North Springs HS,
Atlanta, Ga.

Height — 6-2

Weight — 190

Pro Year — 5th

Year with Broncos — 2nd

Played in 14 games and started in seven of them in 1980 after coming to the Broncos from the New York Jets in a trade during the off-season. Completed 78 of 162 passes (48.1%) for 942 yards and two TDs. Threw 12 interceptions. Entering his 5th year as a professional, he has now played in just 57 NFL games and, beginning with this year, will be working under his third coach and third offensive system in as many years. Last year started early-season games against Philadelphia, Dallas, San Diego, New England, Cleveland and Washington before giving way to Craig Morton, then closed the season as the starter against Seattle. The Broncos defeated Dallas, Cleveland, Washington and Seattle in those games. Best individual performance in 1980 came in the Dallas game in the second week of the season. In that one, he completed 10 of 20 passes for 198 yards and ran for two TDs as the Broncos won, 41-20. Originally a ninth-round choice by the Jets from the University of Georgia in 1977, Robinson replaced the incumbent Richard Todd after the latter was injured in 1978, and led the Jets to six victories in his 11 starts that year. During that season he completed 124 of 266 passes for 2,002 yards and 13 TDs, becoming the first Jet QB to go over 2,000 in a season since Joe Namath had 2,286 in 1975. Best day in his career to date was with the Jets against Cleveland in 1978 when he attempted 44, completed 22 for 289 yards and three TDs. His longest completion is a 77-yard TD to Wesley Walker against Baltimore in 1978. His first NFL start came in his rookie year at Pittsburgh in which he completed seven of 19 for 80 yards and a TD.

COLLEGE: Noted for his passing at Georgia, where he split QB duties with Ray Goff in the veer offense. Led Southeastern Conference in passing as a sophomore with 1,317 yds. and set school record for average gain per completion (21.9). Was nicknamed "Third-And-Long" for obvious reasons. Career totals: 125 of 247, 2,295 yds., 20 int., 17 TDs. Played in Tangerine Bowl as a sophomore, Sugar Bowl as a senior. Majored in business education.

PERSONAL: Single. Now lives in the Denver area. Ranches in the off-season and plans to breed and raise Appaloosa horses. Lists hunting and fishing as hobbies and is a 10 handicapper in golf. Was a 13 letterman at North Springs HS in Atlanta, winning four as a football QB, four as a baseball shortstop, three as a basketball guard and two as a high-jumper in track and field.

Professional Record

PASSING								
Year	Club	Games	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	Int.
1977	Jets	4	54	20	310	37.0	2	8
1978	Jets	16	266	124	2002	46.6	13	10
1979	Jets	16	31	17	191	54.8	0	2
1980	Denver	14	162	78	942	48.1	2	12
TOTALS		50	513	239	3445	46.5	17	38

RUSHING						
Year	Club	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	
1977	Jets	5	45	9.0	0	
1978	Jets	28	23	0.8	0	
1979	Jets	3	4	1.3	0	
1980	Denver	21	47	2.2	3	
TOTALS		57	119	2.1	3	

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Fumbled once for minus four yards, 1977; fumbled six times for minus five yards and recovered four fumbles, 1978; Fumbled six times for minus three yards and recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 89 CONRAD ROBERT RUCKER

Tight End



Birthdate—Nov. 15, 1955
Birthplace—Cincinnati, Ohio
Residence—Houston, Tex.
How Acquired—FA, 1981
College—Southern University, Baton Rouge, LA.
High School—Withrow HS, Cincinnati, OH.
Height—6-3
Weight—245
Pro Year—4th
Year with Broncos—1st

Was a sixth-round choice by Houston in 1978, played in 13 games and caught two passes for 38 yards as a rookie. The following year, he played in all 16 games, mostly on special teams, caught four passes for 40 yards. Played for the Oilers in the AFC Championship games following the 1978 and 1979 seasons. In 1980, he played one regular-season game for Houston before being released. Picked up by Tampa Bay, played two games with the Buccaneers, again released, and wound up the season with the Los Angeles Rams, for whom he also played two games.

COLLEGE: Lettered four years as a tight end at Southern University and was selected the team's MVP in the 1976 and 1978 seasons. Earned a degree in Speech Communication at Southern.

PERSONAL: Married, and he and wife, Billie, are parents of a daughter, Dominique (1/12/80).

Professional Record

		RECEIVING					
Year	Club	Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	
1978	Houston	13	2	38	19.0	0	
1979	Houston	16	4	40	10.0	0	
1980	Houston (1)						
	Tampa Bay (2)						
	Los Angeles (2)	5	0	0	0	0	
TOTALS		34	6	78	13.0	0	

No. 50 JAMES JOSEPH (Jim) RYAN

Linebacker



Birthdate—May 18, 1957
Birthplace—Bellmawr, N.J.
Residence—Denver, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1979
College—William and Mary
High School—Bishop Eustace HS, Pennsauken, N.J.
Height—6-1
Weight—220
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—3rd

Played in all 16 games in 1980, most of the time as a special teams performer, but also saw enough action as a linebacker to record 29 tackles and run back an interception for 21 yards against the New England Patriots. Made the team as a free agent in 1979 and also played in all 16 games that season, contributing five tackles and a fumble recovery.

COLLEGE: Won four letters as linebacker, was Player of the Year and named to the ECAC team following his senior season. Graduated in business management.

PERSONAL: Single. Earned 12 varsity letters at Bishop Eustace HS in Pennsauken, N.J., four as a linebacker/tight end in football, four as a basketball forward and four as a baseball catcher. Moved to Denver this past off-season and is working toward a master's degree in Business Administration (real estate-construction concentration) at The University of Denver.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1979(16), 1980(16).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1979; intercepted one pass for 21 yards, 1980.

No. 63 LAVAL HOWARD SHORT, JR.

Defensive Tackle



Birthdate—Sept. 29, 1958

Birthplace—Nashville, Tenn.

Residence—Littleton, Colo.

How Acquired—Draft #5b, 1980

College—Colorado

High School—Columbine HS, Littleton, Colo.

Height—6-3

Weight—250

Pro Year—2nd

Year with Broncos—2nd

Played in 15 games in 1980 as backup to both Rubin Carter and Don Latimer in the Denver three-man front and also saw some action with the four-man line. Did not play much, but did see enough action to have recorded 24 tackles in his rookie season. Was the Broncos second choice in the fifth round of the 1980 draft.

COLLEGE: Was a four-year letterman at Colorado where he played some defensive end, but most of his career was spent at the difficult position of nose tackle. Recorded a school record 373 tackles in four years, including team-high totals of 86 in 1977 and 108 in 1978. Had nine QB sacks and averaged 12 tackles a game in his senior season. Played in the Blue-Gray Game following his senior season.

PERSONAL: Attended Denver East HS for one year before transferring to Columbine HS in Littleton, Colo. At Columbine played offensive guard, fullback, defensive tackle and linebacker. Was a prep All-American selection. Also lettered in track as a weight man. Single.

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980(15).

No. 83 JOHN HENRY SMITH ***Wide Receiver***



Birthdate—Jan. 27, 1956

Birthplace—Tuskegee, Ala.

Residence—Tuskegee, Ala.

How Acquired—FA, 1981

College—Tennessee State University, Nashville, Tenn.

High School—Tuskegee Institute HS, Tuskegee, Ala.

Height—6-0

Weight—175

Pro Year—2nd

Year with Broncos—1st

Did not play in 1980 after having been a 10th-round choice of the Cleveland Browns in the 1979 draft. Played in six games for the Browns as a rookie.

COLLEGE: Caught 45 passes for 770 yards as a senior. Earned four varsity letters at wide receiver while at Tennessee State. Majored in recreation.

PERSONAL: Single, lives in Tuskegee, Ala., his birthplace. Graduated from Tuskegee Institute HS where he earned two varsity letters as a wide receiver.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RECEIVING			
		Games	No.	Yds.	Avg. TD
1979—	Cleveland	6		None	

No. 45 EALTHON PERRY SMITH

Cornerback



Birthdate—Feb. 3, 1952

Birthplace—Greer City, S.C.

Residence—Ft. Collins, Colo.

How Acquired—Trade from St. Louis, 1980

College—Colorado State University

High School—Lincoln HS, Greer, S.C.

Height—6-1

Weight—190

Pro Year—9th

Year with Broncos—2nd

Picked off two interceptions—one in the first Seattle game, the other in the second Kansas City game—last year. Played in 14 games and started the first Seattle game in place of Louis Wright. Recorded seven tackles in his brief action as defensive back. Came to Denver in a trade with St. Louis prior to the 1980 season. Had been with the Cardinals as both a starter (1977) and the fifth man in the "nickle" defense from 1977 through 1979. Originally a fourth-round draft choice by the Oakland Raiders in 1973, went to Green Bay that year after having been waived by Oakland and became a member of the Packers' starting defensive backfield from 1973 through 1976. Traded by Green Bay to St. Louis in 1977. Was one of the NFL's leading interceptors in 1975 at Green Bay when he took six for 97 yards in returns and a 16.2 average.

COLLEGE: Was JC All-America at Mesa (Ariz.) JC where he played both running back and defensive back before transferring to Colorado State. Played offensive back at CSU, behind Lawrence McCutcheon, before switching to defensive back. Graduated with a degree in political science.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Theresa Marie. Works as a mortgage loan banker in Ft. Collins, Colo., in the off-season. Lists racquetball and reading financial research and information as hobbies. At Lincoln HS in South Carolina lettered three times in football, baseball and track (as a sprinter) and once in basketball.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS				
		Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1973—	Green Bay	8		None		
1974—	Green Bay	12		None		
1975—	Green Bay	14	6	97	16.2	0
1976—	Green Bay	13	1	0	0	0
1977—	St. Louis	3		None		
1978—	St. Louis	16	3	6	2.0	0
1979—	St. Louis	9	1	22	22.0	0
1980—	Denver	14	2	3	1.5	0
TOTALS		89	13	128	9.8	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1974; returned one kickoff for 10 yards, 1977; recovered two fumbles for 42 yards and returned one punt for no yards, 1978.

No. 84 ROBERT HUGH STEELE

Wide Receiver



Birthdate — Aug. 2, 1956
Birthplace — Columbus, Ga.
Residence — Columbus, Ga.
How Acquired — FA, 1981
College — University of North Alabama, Florence, Ala.
High School — Hardaway HS, Columbus, Ga.
Height — 6-4
Weight — 202
Pro Year — 3rd
Year with Broncos — 1st

Waived by Minnesota in pre-season of 1980, signed by the Broncos as a free agent during the off-season after the 1980 season. Signed as a free agent by Dallas prior to the 1978 season and was on the Cowboy roster through the year and into the playoff games. Saw special teams action in 14 games that year. Acquired by the Vikings on waivers prior to the 1979 season, again stayed on the roster primarily as a special teams player, but did catch one pass for 14 yards. Blocked a punt against Tampa Bay that led to a TD and a 23-22 Vikings win.

COLLEGE: Averaged 19.3 yards a reception as a junior (on 30 catches) to lead the Gulf South Conference. Team switched to a veer offense in his senior year, but he still caught 25 passes, was named All-Conference. Has BS in Marketing.

PERSONAL: Born in Columbus, Ga., and played tight end at Hardaway HS there. Lives in Columbus in the off-season, where he is involved in the insurance and construction business. Single.

Professional Record

Year	Club	RECEIVING				
		Games	No.	Yds.	Avg	TD
1978	Dallas	14		None		
1979	Minnesota	16	1	14	14.0	0
TOTALS		30	1	14	14.0	0

No. 19 FREDERICK (Fred) STEINFORT

Kicker



Birthdate — Nov. 3, 1952
Birthplace — Wetter/Ruhr, West Germany
Residence — Denver, Colo.
How Acquired — FA, 1979
College — Boston College
High School — Brighton HS, Brighton, Mass.
Height — 5-11
Weight — 190
Pro Year — 6th
Year with Broncos — 3rd

Kicked 26 of 34 field goals attempted for a 76.5% success record, highest in Broncos' history. Previous record was 72.4% set by Jim Turner in 1975. Steinfort's 110 team-leading points were the most by a Bronco since 1962 and third-highest single-season total ever (Gene Mingo scored 137 in 1962 and 123 in 1960). His season field goal total of 26 is second-highest ever in Bronco history (Mingo kicked 27 in 1962). In addition, Steinfort twice kicked four field goals in one game (at Cleveland, 10/5/80, and at Seattle, 12/21/80), second-best behind Mingo's five against San Diego, 10/6/63. Steinfort also kicked five field goals of more than 50 yards, with his longest of 57 (vs. Washington, 10/13/80) as a team and personal record. Two others (55 vs.

Seattle, 12/21/80, and 55 vs. Dallas, 9/14/80 also surpassed the previous mark, which had been 53 by Jim Turner. Against Seattle (12/21/80), Fred kicked 55 and 53-yarders tying several other players in the NFL record book for most field goals over 50 yards in a single game. He was the third-leading scorer in the AFC (behind John Smith, New England, 129, and Rolf Benirschke, San Diego, 118) and fourth in the NFL (Ed Murray, Detroit, had 116). Won Pro Football Weekly's "Golden Toe Award" for the season.

COLLEGE: Four-year kicker at Boston College who set a school career scoring mark with 215 pts. on 32 FGs and 119 PATs. Hit a 55-yarder against Tulane in 1974. Played in Coaches All-America Game. Converted 119 of 125 PATs and 32 of 60 FGs in four collegiate seasons. All-time leading scorer in Boston College history.

PERSONAL: German born, migrated to the U.S.A. in 1965. Played wide receiver, punter and placekicker at Brighton, Mass., HS. Also lettered in basketball, baseball and soccer. Single. Lists personal interests as photography, hiking, racquetball and bicycle touring.

Professional Record

Year	Club	CONVERSIONS			FIELD GOALS		
		Games	No.-Att.	Pct.	No.-Att.	Pct.	Points
1976	Oakland	7	16-19	.842	4-8	.500	28
1977	Atlanta	7	13-13	1.000	6-11	.546	31
1978	Atlanta	6	8-9	.889	3-10	.300	17
1979	Denver	1				No Attempts	
1980	Denver	16	32-33	.969	26-34	.765	110
NFL TOTALS		37	69-74	.932	39-63	.619	186

No. 70 DAVID DERALD STUDDARD

Tackle



Birthdate — Nov. 22, 1955

Birthplace — San Antonio, Tex.

Residence — Westminster, Colo.

How Acquired — FA, 1979

College — University of Texas

High School — Pearsall HS,
Pearsall, Texas

Height — 6-4

Weight — 260

Pro Year — 3rd

Year with Broncos — 3rd

Played in all 16 games in 1980, started 12 of them, marking his second year as a starting offensive lineman with the Broncos. Originally a ninth-round draft choice of the Baltimore Colts, Dave was waived by the Colts at the end of the 1978 pre-season training camp. Denver signed him as a free agent prior to the 1979 training camp and he not only made the team, but became a starting tackle from the first game. In his first season, Dave made the NFL's All-Rookie team. Also caught a two-yard TD pass on a tackle eligible play from Craig Morton in a game against Seattle in his first year.

COLLEGE: Lettered three years, was an All-Southwest Conference player at the University of Texas. Graduated with degree in physical education.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Cecilia. Lists hunting as favored hobby. At Pearsall HS was a three-year football letterman as a TE, lettered three years as basketball center, two as a baseball first baseman and three as a weight man in track and field. Is nephew of Howard Fest, former guard with Cincinnati and Tampa Bay.

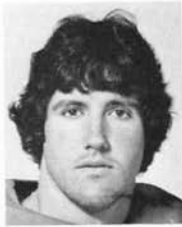
Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1979(16), 1980(16).

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Caught 2-yd. TD pass vs. Seattle, 1979; recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 51 ROBERT CHARLES (Bob) SWENSON

Linebacker



Birthdate—July 1, 1953
Birthplace—Stockton, Calif.
Residence—Evergreen, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1975
College—California
High School—Tracy HS, Tracy, Calif.
Height—6-3
Weight—225
Pro Year—6th
Year with Broncos—6th

Missed the entire 1980 regular season because of a broken arm suffered in a pre-season game against Los Angeles. Injury required surgical repair and rehabilitation program. Became a starter as a free agent rookie and held the job through 74 consecutive regular-season games until forced out of action last year. In his 1979 season he recorded 163 tackles, took three interceptions and recovered four fumbles, one of which he returned 88-yards for a TD against San Francisco, another of which he lateraled to Louis Wright with the ball eventually winding up with Billy Thompson in the end zone against Kansas City. Now has a career total of eight interceptions and six fumble recoveries. After the 1979 season, won the Earl Hartman Award as defensive MVP by vote of his teammates. Also made UPI All-AFC second unit after that season.

COLLEGE: Lettered three years as a linebacker at the University of California at Berkeley where he was a teammate of other NFL players such as Steve Bartkowski, Wesley Walker and Chuck Muncie. Played rugby. Graduated with a degree in marketing.

PERSONAL: Single. Lives in the foothills community of Evergreen near Denver in the off-season. At Tracy HS in Northern California earned two letters as a football linebacker, two as a basketball forward and one as a baseball centerfielder. Lists tennis, racquetball and rugby as hobbies.

Professional Record

		INTERCEPTIONS					
Year	Club	Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	
1975	— Denver	14	1	4	4.0	0	
1976	— Denver	14	2	31	15.5	0	
1977	— Denver	14	1	0	0.0	0	
1978	— Denver	16	1	0	0.0	0	
1979	— Denver	16	3	0	0.0	0	
1980	— Denver	Did Not Play (Injured)					
NFL TOTALS		74	8	35	4.4	0	

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble for 5-yd. return, lateral to Randy Polt for TD against Tampa Bay, 1976; recovered one fumble for four-yard return, 1978; recovered four fumbles, ran one back for 88-yd. TD, 1979.

No. 61 ARLAND BARON THOMPSON

Guard



Birthdate—Sept. 19, 1957
Birthplace—Lockney, Tex.
Residence—Aurora, Colo.
How Acquired—FA, 1980
College—Baylor
High School—Plainview HS, Plainview, Tex.
Height—6-3
Weight—265
Pro Year—2nd
Year with Broncos—2nd

Fourth-round draft choice of the Chicago Bears out of Baylor University in 1980, Thompson was waived by Chicago prior to the opening of the regular season, then signed by the Broncos as a free agent late in the season. Activated and played in the final two games of the season.

COLLEGE: Started at center as a freshman, but played tackle the final three seasons at Baylor. Was All-Southwest Conference, played in the East-West Game and the Japan Bowl after his senior year. Majored in mathematics.

PERSONAL: Single. Moved from Texas to Aurora in the off-season. Was an All-State lineman at Plainview HS, and played in the Texas High School Coaches All-Star Game. Also lettered in track as a weight man (discus).

Professional Record

GAMES PLAYED: 1980(2).

No. 36 WILLIAM ALLEN (Billy) THOMPSON

Safety



Birthdate—Oct. 10, 1946

Birthplace—Greenville, S.C.

Residence—Lakewood, Colo.

How Acquired—Draft #3, 1969

College—Maryland—Eastern Shore

High School—Sterling HS,

Greenville, S.C.

Height—6-1

Weight—200

Pro Year—13th

Year with Broncos—13th

Starting his 13th season, Thompson has been a Bronco longer than any other player—ever. Paul Smith played for Denver for 11 years, but none, other than Thompson, have played longer than that in Bronco colors. Since being a third-round draft choice out of Maryland State in 1969, he has started 146 consecutive regular-season games, a club record. In 1980, he intercepted two passes, giving him a career total of 36 (second in the Denver record book to Goose Gonsoulin's 43), and he returned a fumble 32 yards for a TD (vs. Dallas), making him the only player in NFL history to return four fumbles for TDs during a career. Thompson now has 55 turnovers as a professional, seven of which he took in for scores. Had 122 tackles from his strong safety position last year. Is Bronco defensive captain. As a rookie, he led the AFL in both punt returns and kickoff returns, the only player in the history of pro football to do so.

COLLEGE: At Maryland Eastern Shore (formerly Maryland State) he was selected All-CIAA three years as a defensive back and was MVP in his senior season. As a baseball center fielder he was also All-CIAA for three years. Played in the College All-Star football game. Graduated with a degree in physical education and biology. Selected NAIA All-America twice.

PERSONAL: Single. Lists golf, fishing and hunting as hobbies. Was a 12-letter man at Sterling HS in Greenville, S.C. where he won four letters as a quarterback, four as a basketball guard and four as a baseball center fielder. Was student body president.

Professional Record

Year	Club	INTERCEPTIONS					PUNT RETURNS			
		Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1969	— Denver	14	3	92	30.7	1	25	288	11.5	0
1970	— Denver	9	2	65	32.5	0	23	233	10.1	0
1971	— Denver	14	5	83	16.6	0	29	274	9.4	0
1972	— Denver	8	1	4	4.0	0	4	82	20.5	0
1973	— Denver	14	3	96	32.0	1	30	366	12.2	0
1974	— Denver	14	5	105	21.0	1	26	350	13.5	0
1975	— Denver	14	2	97	48.5	0	13	158	12.2	0
1976	— Denver	14	None				6	60	10.0	0
1977	— Denver	14	5	122	24.4	0	None			
1978	— Denver	16	4	0	0.0	0	1	3	3.0	0
1979	— Denver	16	4	57	14.3	0	None			
1980	— Denver	16	2	49	24.5	0	None			
TOTALS		163	36	770	21.3	3	15.7	181.4	11.6	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

Year	Club	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1969	— Denver	18	513	28.5	0
1970	— Denver	9	188	20.9	0
1971	— Denver	5	105	21.0	0
1972	— Denver	None			
1973	— Denver	1	25	25.0	0
1974	— Denver	13	325	25.0	0
1975	— Denver	None			
1976	— Denver	None			
1977	— Denver	None			
1978	— Denver	None			
1979	— Denver	None			
1980	— Denver	None			
TOTALS		41	1156	28.2	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered three fumbles, 1969; recovered one fumble, 1970; recovered two fumbles for 15 yards, 1971; recovered two fumbles for 80 yards and one touchdown, 1973; recovered two fumbles, 1974; recovered three fumbles for 16 yards, 1977; recovered two fumbles for four yards and one touchdown, 1978; recovered two fumbles (one opponent, one Denver) for 28 yards and one touchdown, 1979; recovered two opponent fumbles, ran one back 32 yards for a touchdown, 1980.

No. 80 RICKIE (Rick) UPCHURCH

Wide Receiver



Birthdate—May 20, 1952

Birthplace—Toledo, Ohio

Residence—Englewood, Colo.

How Acquired—Draft #4b, 1975

College—Minnesota

High School—Springfield HS,
Holland, Ohio

Height—5-10

Weight—180

Pro Year—7th

Year with Broncos—7th

Missed two games with injury last year, wound up Denver's second-leading pass receiver (behind Jim Jensen) with 46 catches for 605 yards (13.2 avg.) and three TDs. Also resumed his position as team's leading punt returner with 37 for 353 yards (9.5 avg.), which ranked him fifth in that department in the AFC, 10th in the NFL. Going into his seventh professional season, he has now caught a total of 169 passes for 2,773 yards (16.4 avg.) and 16 TDs, figures which rank him fifth in number of receptions and yardage and sixth in TD catches in the Denver record book. Best game of 1980 was the very first game when he caught six for 75 yards against Philadelphia. Best game as a professional receiver was in 1979 against Kansas City (10/14/79) when he caught eight

for 72 yards and a TD. Best yardage day of his career was against New Orleans (11/4/79) when he totaled 95 on six receptions. Longest single reception of his career was a 90-yard TD against Kansas City in the first game of his rookie year. Longest reception last year was 35 yards against Washington (10/13/80). He had five receptions for 93 yards in that game. Is the NFL's all-time leading punt returner after having surpassed previous record holder Emlen Tunnel's mark in the 1979 season. Now has a total of 220 returns for 2,651 yards and six TDs. Led the NFL in punt returns in 1976, the year he tied the NFL record for punt returns for TDs in a season (4) and in a game (2). His 67-yard kickoff return in Super Bowl XII is a game record. As a Bronco, he has returned 95 kickoffs for 2,355 yards (24.7 record). Did not return kickoffs last year, however.

NOTE—As a rookie had a first-game performance that must be noted:

Caught three passes for 153 yds., among them a 90-yd. TD. Had 88 yds. on three kickoff returns, 30 yds. on a punt return and 13-yds. on a flanker reverse. At game's end he had totaled 284 yds. in handling the ball eight times, an average of 35.5 per touch. An NFL record.

COLLEGE: Played running back in college, two seasons at the University of Minnesota and two seasons at Indian Hills Community College, earning two varsity letters at each school. Was also a sprinter and long-jumper, again earning two varsity letters at each school. Majored in business administration. Played in the Hula Bowl.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Diana, and they are parents of son Sharif (10/12/79) and daughters Stacie (2/26/69) and Richelle (8/8/70). Rick works as a health club instructor in the off-season. At Springfield HS in Holland, O. earned two varsity letters as a football running back, two as a basketball guard and four as a sprinter and long jumper.

Professional Record

		RUSHING					RECEIVING			
Year	Club	Games	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1975	— Denver	14	16	97	6.1	1	18	436	24.2	2
1976	— Denver	13	6	71	11.8	1	12	340	28.3	1
1977	— Denver	14	1	19	19.0	1	12	245	20.4	2
1978	— Denver	12	5	31	6.2	0	17	210	12.4	1
1979	— Denver	16	3	17	5.6	0	64	937	14.6	7
1980	— Denver	16	5	49	9.8	0	46	605	13.2	3
TOTALS		85	36	284	7.8	3	169	2773	16.4	16

		PUNT RETURNS				KICKOFF RETURNS			
Year		No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1975	— Denver	27	312	11.6	0	40	1084	27.1	0
1976	— Denver	39	536	13.7	4	22	514	23.4	0
1977	— Denver	51	653	12.8	1	20	456	22.8	0
1978	— Denver	36	493	13.7	1	8	222	27.8	0
1979	— Denver	30	304	10.1	0	5	79	15.8	0
1980	— Denver	37	353	9.5	0			None	
TOTALS		220	2651	12.0	6	95	2355	24.7	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1975; recovered three fumbles, 1976; recovered two fumbles, 1977; fumbled twice, 1978; passed once (incomplete), fumbled five times, recovered one fumble, 1979; fumbled twice, recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. GLEN JOE WALKER**Kicker**

Birthdate—Jan. 16, 1952
Birthplace—Torrance, Calif.
Residence—Cypress, Calif.
How Acquired—FA, 1981
College—Southern California
High School—Gardena HS, Gardena, Calif.
Height—6-2
Weight—218
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—1st

Punted for the Los Angeles Rams for two seasons, 1977-78, during which time he punted 156 times for 5,637 yards and a 36.1 average. In 1978, he punted 83 times with only 38 of them being returned for an NFL-low 223 yards. Also that year, he had 26 punts inside the 20-yard line. Signed by the Broncos as a free agent after the off-season tryout camp.

COLLEGE: A combination placekicker-punter at Southern California for two years, Walker had just 11 of his 54 punts returned in his senior year. He was a NEA All-American and had a career-long field goal of 47 yards. He played at Harbor JC in California for two years before transferring to USC.

PERSONAL: Lives in Cypress, Calif., with his wife, Pam, and daughter, Sarah Christen (3/7/77).

Professional Record**PUNTING**

Year	Team	Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TB	In 20	LG	Blk.
1977	Los Angeles	14	73	2568	35.2	8	11	56	0
1978	Los Angeles	16	83	3069	37.0	5	26	61	0
TOTALS		30	156	5636	36.1	13	37	61	0

No. 81 STEPHEN ROSS (Steve) WATSON**Wide Receiver**

Birthdate—May 28, 1957
Birthplace—Baltimore, Md.
Residence—Newark, Del.
How Acquired—FA, 1979
College—Temple University
High School—St. Marks HS, Wilmington, Del.
Height—6-4
Weight—195
Pro Year—3rd
Year with Broncos—3rd

Has played in all 32 games. He has been on the Bronco roster since signing as a free agent out of Temple University prior to the 1979 season. Has contributed primarily as a special teams performer, but has responded well when called to fill in for a regular. Caught six passes for 146 yards (24.3 avg.) last year to bring his two-year mark to 12 receptions for 229 yards (19.0 avg.). Longest catch last year came against Dallas, a 52-yarder that is also his career longest. Started the first Oakland game for an ailing Haven Moses, but had no receptions. Caught two in the second Oakland game for 58 yards. Nickname is "Blade."

COLLEGE: Was a four-year letterman at wide receiver for Temple and selected to the All-East team. Played in the East-West Shrine Game after his senior season. Also won three letters and two conference championships as a long jumper. Graduated Cum Laude with a degree in parks administration.

PERSONAL: Married in the off-season. Wife's name is Martie. They live in Newark, Del. Steve was a nine letterman at St. Mark's HS in Wilmington, Del., with three in football, three as a basketball guard and three as a long jumper and sprinter in track.

Professional Record

RECEIVING

Year	Club	Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1979	— Denver	16	6	83	13.8	0
1980	— Denver	16	6	146	24.3	0
TOTALS		32	12	229	19.0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble, 1980.

No. 87 JAMES WILLIE WRIGHT

Tight End



Birthdate—Sept. 1, 1956

Birthplace—Ft. Hood, Tex.

Residence—Brenham, Tex.

How Acquired—FA, 1980

College—Texas Christian

High School—Brenham HS, Brenham, Tex.

Height—6-3

Weight—240

Pro Year—3rd

Year with Broncos—2nd

Joined the Broncos as a free agent at the very end of the 1980 season and played as a special teams member in the final game of the year. A seventh-round draft choice of the Atlanta Falcons in 1978, he made the team as a rookie, catching two passes for 26 yards and returning two kickoffs for 31 yards. Missed the entire 1979 season on injured reserve, then was waived at the close of the pre-season in 1980.

COLLEGE: Played two seasons at tight end at Texas Christian University, earning two letters while catching 27 passes. In the TCU offense, he was used primarily as a blocking tight end. Graduated with a B.S. in psychology.

PERSONAL: Lives with wife, Glenda, and daughter, Stephanie (9/21/80) in hometown of Brenham, Tex. At Brenham HS, he won three football letters and two in track as a sprinter. Does a lot of work in youth programs.

Professional Record

RECEIVING

Year	Team	Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	KICKOFF RETURNS			
1978	— Atlanta	15	2	26	13.0	0	2	31	15.5	0
1979	— Atlanta	Injured Reserve								
1980	— Denver	1	None				None			
TOTALS		16	2	26	13.0	0	2	31	15.5	0

No. 20 LOUIS DONNEL WRIGHT

Cornerback



Birthdate—Jan. 31, 1953

Birthplace—Gilmer, Texas

Residence—Bakersfield, Calif.

How Acquired—Draft #1, 1975

College—San Jose State

High School—Bakersfield HS, Bakersfield, Calif.

Height—6-2

Weight—200

Pro Year—7th

Year with Broncos—7th

Recorded 76 tackles playing from his regular left cornerback position in 1980. Because of the respect in which he is held by opponent defenses, Wright doesn't get much opportunity for

interceptions. He had none last year, has a total of nine going into the seventh season of his career. Was a unanimous All-Pro and played in the Pro Bowl in 1977, 1978 and 1979. Played in 15 games last year, missing the first Seattle game with an eye injury. Prior to that, he had started in 89 consecutive regular-season games. First-round draft choice by the Broncos from San Jose State in 1975. Has recorded a 4.4 second time in the 40-yd. sprint.

COLLEGE: Had an outstanding two-year career at San Jose State, after transferring from Bakersfield JC, lettering twice at defensive back and capping his career by playing in the East-West Game and the College All-Star Game. Also won two letters as a 9.6 sprinter in the 100, posted a 21.2 time in the 220, a 47.6 in the 440 and had a long jump of 25-7. Was an All-Coast football selection. Majored in business management.

PERSONAL: Married, wife's name is Vicki and they have a daughter, Summer Marie (3/12/79). At Bakersfield HS, Louis played wide receiver and defensive end in earning two varsity letters and was a sprinter-long jumper to win two track letters.

Professional Record

INTERCEPTIONS

Year	Club	Games	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1975	— Denver	11	2	9	4.5	0
1976	— Denver	14	0	32	—	0 (yds. on lateral)
1977	— Denver	14	3	128	42.7	1
1978	— Denver	16	2	2	1.0	0
1979	— Denver	16	2	20	10.0	0
1980	— Denver	15	None			
TOTALS		86	9	191	21.2	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Recovered one fumble for four yards, 1975; recovered one fumble, 1976; recovered two fumbles, 1978; recovered one fumble for four yards, ran 78 yards for TD after lateral from Gradishar, blocked one kick, 1979.

INJURED RESERVE 1980

THOMAS LLOYD (Tom) DAVIS

Center



Birthdate—July 31, 1955

Birthplace—Omaha, Neb.

Residence—Lakewood, Colo.

How Acquired—FA, 1980

College—Nebraska

High School—Omaha North HS,
Omaha, Neb.

Height—6-2

Weight—240

Pro Year—1st

Year with Broncos—1st

Signed by the Broncos as a free agent prior to the 1980 season, he broke an arm in training camp and was on the injured reserve list for the entire campaign. He had a free agent trial with the Oakland Raiders in 1978 and played 1978 and the following season in the Canadian Football League. Played both center and guard for Toronto ('78-'79) and played all offensive line positions at Ottawa ('79).

COLLEGE: Earned All-Big Eight and All-America mention as a three-year letterman at Nebraska, playing in four bowl games (the Sugar, Fiesta, Astro-Bluebonnet, and Liberty) as a Husker and in three all-star games as a senior (the East-West Shrine game, Hula and Japan bowls).

PERSONAL: Single. Lists flying, modeling, and skiing as hobbies. At North Omaha HS he lettered six times, three in football, two in basketball as a center, and one in wrestling. Nickname is "Slick."

No. 24 RICK PARROS***Running Back*****Birthdate**—June 14, 1958**Birthplace**—Brooklyn, N.Y.**Residence**—Aurora, Colo.**How Acquired**—Draft #4, 1980**College**—Utah State**High School**—Granite HS, Salt Lake City, Utah**Height**—5-11**Weight**—200**Pro Year**—1st**Year with Broncos**—1st

Suffered a knee injury during the early stages of training camp at Fort Collins last year, and spent the entire season on the Broncos' injured reserve list.

COLLEGE: Rushed for 3,621 yards and caught 70 passes in four years at Utah State. Career highlight was a school record 252 yards against Fresno State in '78, but as a senior had 35 carries for 208 yards and three TDs vs. Weber State, 194 yards on 26 attempts against Utah, and 38 carries for 168 yards and one score vs. Fresno State. The all-time Utah State rushing leader, he scored 27 touchdowns and twice had 1,000-yard campaigns (1,135 in '77, 1,236 as a senior). In '79 he was first in the Pacific Coast Athletic Association in rushing, all purpose running, and in scoring with 15 TDs. Made AP honorable mention All-America and first team All-PCAA in both '78 and '79. Ended college career as the leading rusher in both the Blue-Gray game (15 for 65) and in the Senior Bowl (12 for 64).

PERSONAL: Single. Won six letters (three each in football and track) as a prepster at Salt Lake City's Granite HS. Hobbies include afghans and water skiing.



ROOKIES, FIRST-YEAR PLAYERS



Rulon Jones, All-Rookie team member at defensive end in 1980.

1981 DRAFT CHOICES

CLAYTON LEE (Clay) BROWN **TE** **Brigham Young**

6-2, 223 DOB: September 20, 1958
Draft Choice #2



As a senior at BYU, he caught 48 passes for team-high 1,009 yards, Western Athletic Conference-high 21.0 average, and national high 15 touchdowns. Career totals show 88 catches for 1,691 yards (19.2 average) and 17 TDs. The 15 TD catches last year set a WAC record. Earned numerous All-WAC and All-America honors as a senior, and in 1980 was All-WAC as both a punter and a tight end. Made honorable mention All-America selections by both AP and UPI as a junior. Career punting average was 41.8, and he led the nation (Division 1-A) in '79 with a 45.3 mark. Earned three football letters at BYU, where he graduated with a business management degree. Concluded college career with appearances in the Hula Bowl and Senior Bowl, as well as the Holiday Bowl, in which his last-second TD catch lifted BYU past Southern Methodist University. Born in Los Angeles, California, he graduated from San Gabriel High School (in San Gabriel, Ca.), where he earned six letters (three in football, two in basketball, and one in track). Married (Ria), two sons (Clayton Eugene, born 9/11/77, and Derek Christopher, born 5/2/81).

STEVE RAY BUSICK **LB** **Southern California**

6-4, 227 DOB: December 10, 1958
Draft Choice #7



Had a solid '80 season in which he posted 102 total tackles, second highest figure on USC defensive unit. Injuries hampered playing time during freshman and sophomore seasons, but he served well in a backup role as a junior (31 tackles in 40 minutes), leading up to senior year in which he earned honorable mention Pac-10 honors. Played in Blue-Grey game to close out college career. Born in Los Angeles, California and graduated from Temple City (CA.) H.S., where he lettered three times at linebacker. Single, he enjoys music, fishing, and going to the beach.

1981 DRAFT CHOICES

JOHN PATRICK HANKERD LB Notre Dame

6-3, 238 DOB: August 2, 1959

Draft Choice #12a



Played both defensive end and linebacker at Notre Dame, but is projected strictly as a linebacker by the Broncos. One of the mainstays of the Irish defense, he was a member of Notre Dame's 1977 national championship squad. A three-year letterman for the Fighting Irish. Graduated in May with a business administration degree. Born in Jackson, Michigan, he graduated from Lumen Christi H.S. in Jackson, where he earned seven letters (three in football, in which he played running back, tight end, middle linebacker, and defensive tackle, two in basketball, and two in track). In track, took part in the 100-yard dash, discus, and shot put. Single, hobbies include golf, swimming, and skiing. Left pre-season training camp voluntarily.

MARK DONALD HERRMANN QB Purdue

6-4, 184 DOB: January 8, 1959

Draft Choice #4



Major college football's all-time passing king, he set nine NCAA, six Big Ten, and 23 Purdue records. Known as a skilled drop back passer who reads defenses well and has great touch. Started 42 games during career, connecting for average of 210 yards per game over four year span. First major college QB to register over 9,000 passing yards (9,946), and finished fourth in Heisman Trophy voting as a senior. Enjoyed seven 300-yard games and one 400-yard game during career. Earned numerous All-America honors in junior and senior seasons. Was offensive MVP in '78 Peach Bowl, '79 Bluebonnet Bowl, and '80 Liberty Bowl, closing out college career as a participant in Japan Bowl and Hula Bowl. Holds NCAA records for most career yards by passing (9,188), completions (717), and attempts (1,218), throwing 67 career TDs and 75 Ints. Graduated from Purdue with a business management degree in May. Born in Cincinnati, Ohio, graduated from Carmel H.S. in Carmel, Indiana. Earned eight prep letters (three in football, three in basketball, two in baseball). Hobbies include golf and basketball. Married (Susie) on July 4, 1981.

1981 DRAFT CHOICES

KENNETH WAYNE (Ken) LANIER

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Florida State

6-3, 269 DOB: July 8, 1959

Draft Choice #5



Known as the "Ironman" of Florida State's team because of his string of 46 consecutive games started. Named to several All-America teams during his college career. In addition to football career at FSU, he performed weight duty for the Seminole track and field team and holds school record in shot put with a heave of 60'2". Was Metro Conference champion in that event in his junior and senior years. Played in Senior Bowl game to close out college football career. June graduate with an industrial arts degree. Born in Columbus, Ohio, graduated from Marion Franklin H.S. in Columbus, earning All-Ohio honors and three letters each in football and track. Single.

ALVIN LEWIS, JR.

RB

Colorado State

5-11, 185 DOB: August 25, 1959

Draft Choice #6



Finished third in the nation and led Western Athletic Conference in all-purpose rushing in 1980, totaling 1,047 rushing yards along with 335 on receptions, 400 on kickoff returns and 139 on punts, a total per game average of 174.6. Led the WAC in rushing last year, posting a 5.0 average and scoring eight TDs on the ground. Voted first team All-WAC as a senior, and ended career with appearance in East-West game. A four-letterman at CSU, he was named Colorado Sports Hall of Fame College Athlete of the Year for '80 performance. Played defensive cornerback as a CSU freshman. A criminal justice major. Born in Detroit, Michigan, attended and graduated from Greensburg Salem H.S. in Greensburg, Pennsylvania. Earned six prep letters (three in football, two in track, and one in baseball). Single, lists music, tennis, bikes, and electronic airplanes as his hobbies.

1981 DRAFT CHOICES

RICHARD FRANCIS (Rusty) OLSEN **DE**
Washington

6-3, 251 DOB: June 18, 1959
Draft Choice #9



A defensive tackle at Washington, he is projected as a defensive end by the Broncos. Earned two letters as a member of the Husky defense, playing in two Rose Bowls and one Sun Bowl game while in school. Made second team All Pacific Coast as a senior, and was elected by teammates as a captain for the '80 campaign. A strong player, he has a 375-pound bench press and 675-pound leg press to his credit. Born in West Covina, California, graduated from Lewis and Clark H.S. in Spokane, Washington. Won nine prep letters (three each in football, wrestling, and track and field). Single, likes scuba diving, flying, fishing, horseback riding, and backpacking.

MANDEL RAY ROBINSON **RB** **Wyoming**

6-1, 215 DOB: April 1, 1958
Draft Choice #12b



Ranked fifth in the WAC in rushing with 873 yards in '80, making second team All-Western Athletic Conference along the way. High point of senior season was 162-yard performance against Colorado State, and he also posted 98-yard, two TD day vs. San Diego State. A transfer student from Syracuse. Career totals show 1,274 rushing yards and 12 TDs on the ground. In addition to earning four letters at Wyoming, he made the WAC first team Academic All-America unit in '79, and has graduated with a degree in physical education and business education. Born on a United States Air Force base in Byrd Park, England, graduated from North Syracuse H.S. in North Syracuse, New York. Earned three letters each in football and basketball in high school. Single, hobbies include basketball, bowling, fishing, and traveling.

1981 DRAFT CHOICES

DENNIS SMITH S Southern California

6-3, 200 DOB: February 3, 1959
Draft Choice #1



He earned four letters in football and three more in track at Southern California, making several All-America teams after his senior year. Four-year USC totals include 205 total tackles and 16 pass interceptions, including four as a senior. Intercepted seven to lead Trojans in '78. Broke a wrist in a USC game last November, but that injury since has healed. Played in the Rose Bowl while in school. Athletic prowess demonstrated as a seven-foot high jumper for the track team. Born in Santa Monica, California, and graduated from Santa Monica H.S. Played both wide receiver and defensive back in high school, lettering twice. Also picked up prep letters in track (three) and basketball (one). The high jump was his track event throughout high school and college. Single.

PATRICK LAMARIS (Pat) WALKER WR Miami (Florida)

6-2, 180 DOB: March 13, 1959
Draft Choice #11



In 1979 led the nation in yards per catch with a 26.4 average (625 yards on 24 receptions), scoring three TDs. Career statistics show 66 catches for 1,165 yards, six TDs, and a 17.7 average. Lettered all four years and played in the Peach Bowl while at Miami. Last year caught just 13, but for a 19.1 average. Best college game came vs. Louisville in '79, six catches good for 159 yards. Born in Winter Haven, Florida, graduated from Auburndale Senior H.S. in Auburndale, Fla. Won eight prep letters (three in football, three in basketball, and two in track). Enjoys basketball and music.

BRONCOS 1981 DRAFT

Round	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	School
1	Dennis Smith	S	6-3	200	So. California
2	Clay Brown	TE	6-2	223	Brigham Young
3	Traded to Kansas City Chiefs for RB Tony Reed				
4	Mark Herrmann	QB	6-4	184	Purdue
5	Ken Lanier	T	6-3	269	Florida State
6	Alvin Lewis	RB	5-11	185	Colorado State
7	Steve Busick	LB	6-4	227	So. California
8	Traded to New York Giants for WR Emery Moorehead				
9	Rusty Olsen	DE	6-3	251	Washington
10	Traded to St. Louis Cardinals for DB Perry Smith				
11	Pat Walker	WR	6-2	180	Florida State
12a	John Hankerd	LB	6-3	238	Notre Dame
12b	Mandel Robinson	RB	6-1	215	Wyoming

1981 FREE AGENTS

(1) after the player's name indicates player has been in a previous training camp.

CARL M. ALLEN C Cal State-Long Beach

6-4, 250 DOB: April 26, 1958

A center at Long Beach State, he transferred there from Los Medanos JC, where he was a tackle in '76-'77. Earned two letters at Long Beach, and was on conference championship team. Born in San Jose, California, graduated from Clayton Valley H.S. in Concord. Won five letters in high school, two each in football and basketball, one in baseball. An '81 draft eligible.

TOM J. ALLEN (1) LB Arizona State

6-5, 250 DOB: July 26, 1958

Graduated from Arizona State in '79 and had a tryout as a free agent with the Oakland Raiders last year. Was a defensive tackle from Sun Devils in '78-'79, after transferring from Phoenix College, where he played in '76-'77. Born in Phoenix, Arizona and attended Alhambra H.S. there, winning two letters in football. Married (Cathy), hobbies include hunting, weightlifting, and camping.

**ANTHONY EUGENE (Amp) ARNOLD WR
Georgia**

5-11, 176 DOB: December 18, 1958

A starting wide receiver on the '80 national championship Georgia squad, he earned four letters at Georgia from '77-'80. An education major. Born in Athens, Georgia, graduated from Cedar Shoals H.S. in Athens, earning three letters as a football quarterback and three in basketball. Likes sports and music. An '81 draft eligible.

**RONALD GENE (Ron) BLACKEN WR
Washington**

5-10, 191 DOB: December 6, 1957

Earned three letters at the University of Washington and was a member of the Husky squads which played in two Rose Bowl games and in the Sun Bowl once. Began his college play as a quarterback, but became a wide receiver after '77 season. Born in Arlington, Washington, graduated from Lake Stevens (Washington) H.S., where he lettered nine times (three each in football, basketball, and baseball). Enjoys music and fishing. An '81 draft eligible.

**ROBERT E. (Bobby) BRAMBLE RB
American International**

5-9, 175 DOB: June 12, 1959

A four-year letterman as a running back, kickoff return specialist, and punter at American International College in Springfield, Massachusetts ('77-'80), he graduated from AIC with a personnel management degree this year. Born in Brooklyn, New York, and attended S. J. Tilden H.S. in Brooklyn, lettering four times in football and once each in baseball and track. Likes breeding tropical fish, photography, and twig painting. An '81 draft eligible.

SAMUEL ULLYSEES (Sam) BROWN (1) **LB**
Cornell

6-2, 226 DOB: August 18, 1957

Signed by the Broncos after their one-day free agent tryout camp in May, he played at Cornell from '76-'79, and last year played semi-pro football for the North East Raiders of the Potomac League. Has received his degree from Cornell. Born in Washington, D.C., and is a graduate of Lower Merion H.S. in Ardmore, Pennsylvania.

WALTER LEKEITH DANIELS **WR**
Southeastern Oklahoma

5-11, 165 DOB: November 25, 1958

Earned a training camp roster spot on the basis of his performance in Denver's May tryout camp. Played at Southeastern Oklahoma from '77-'80. Born in Whitewright, Texas, and graduated from Whitewright H.S.. An '81 draft eligible.

RICK STEVEN DENNISON (1) **LB**
Colorado State

6-3, 210 DOB: June 22, 1958

A graduate of Colorado State University with a degree in civil engineering, he played tight end for the Rams from '76-'79, lettering three times. Had a tryout with the Buffalo Bills last year as a free agent. Was a second team Academic All-America at CSU. Born in Kalispel, Montana, and graduated from Rocky Mountain H.S. in Fort Collins, where he lettered twice each in football, basketball, and baseball. Likes fishing, music, and is in graduate school at CSU.

PERRY MONROE DRAKE **LB** **Utah State**

6-2, 225 DOB: May 18, 1957

Completed his college play at Utah State ('78-'79) after previous stops at Dixie JC ('77) and Weber State ('76), and comes into his first professional camp with the Broncos. Earned four letters in his college career, all at middle linebacker. Born in Salt Lake City, Utah, and graduated from West Salt Lake City H.S., where he won three football letters as a lineman and lettered twice as a javelin specialist on the track team. Likes music and collects records. Undrafted, was eligible in '80.

GREGORY (Greg) FOSTER **WR** **Illinois**

6-2, 217 DOB: February 15, 1959

Comes into his first pro camp after four years ('77-'80) at the University of Illinois, earning three letters as a wide receiver and running back. Also earned one letter on the Illini track team. Born in St. Louis, Missouri and graduated from McKinley H.S. in St. Louis. Won nine prep letters (three in football, two in basketball, and four in track). Hobbies are writing and coaching track and football. An '81 draft eligible.

HERBERT EARL (Earl) GABBIDON **TE**
Arizona State

6-3, 223 DOB: January 15, 1958

Another prospect who was signed as a result of Denver's May tryout camp, he played at Mesa JC in '77-'78 and then transferred to Arizona State, where he played in '79-'80. As a junior he was the leading receiver on the Sun Imp Junior varsity team, recording a 61-yarder as his longest catch. Was a wide receiver

at Mesa, which was where he began his football career. Born in Jamaica and came to the United States when he was 10 years old. Graduated from McClintock H.S. in Tempe, Arizona, where he earned varsity letters in both basketball and track. An '81 draft eligible.

THOMAS JOSEPH (Tom) GIBBONS S
Notre Dame

6-0, 188 DOB: March 8, 1959

A four-year defensive back at Notre Dame ('77-'80), he earned three letters, was a team captain, and played on the national championship squad in '77. Won Academic All-America honors during his career with the Fighting Irish. Graduated this year with a degree in aerospace engineering. Works as an aerospace engineer in the off-season. Born in Pensacola, Florida, and graduated from Fort Hunt H.S. in Alexandria, Virginia. Prep letters included four as a football defensive back and three as a baseball centerfielder. Likes to play golf, swim and ski. An '81 draft eligible.

RONNELL EARLE (Ron) GREENE RB
Cal State-Hayward

6-0, 211 DOB: August 4, 1957

A product of the Denver Prep League (George Washington H.S.), he completed his college play at the Hayward campus of California State University ('78-'80) after transferring from the College of the Sequoias ('76-'77). Won two letters at Hayward, led the conference in rushing in '78 and made All-Conference. Graduated with a degree in physical education in June. Born in Denver, twice lettered as a running back at George Washington H.S., and won two more letters in track and field (shot put). Older sister is Pam Greene, who competed in the '72 and '80 Olympics on the United States track and field team. Likes weightlifting and art. An '81 draft eligible.

MACKEL JAMES HARRIS (1) DB
Georgia Tech

6-0, 200 DOB: October 9, 1957

Signed as a free agent by the Broncos after having had a similar trial with the Dallas Cowboys in '80. Played at Georgia Tech from '76-'79. As an outside linebacker, led Tech with 107 tackles in '77 and was second with 94 in '78, earning four varsity letters. Born in Americus, Georgia, and graduated from Americus H.S., where he was a prep All-America and state Class AA Lineman of the Year. Lettered three years in prep football and four in track, winning state prep 100-yard dash title with a 9.4 time. Majored in industrial management.

BERNARD HAY NT Michigan State

6-1, 243 DOB: June 30, 1959

A four-time letterwinner at Michigan State who saw most of his college action as a nose tackle. As a junior, led Spartan defensive linemen in minutes played (320), and recorded 92 tackles. Born in West Palm Beach, Florida, and attended Palm Beach Gardens H.S. Won All-Conference grid honors for three straight years and was a prep All-America as a senior. An '81 draft eligible.

JEFFREY FRANCIS (Jeff) HIPPI S Georgia

6-2, 194 DOB: January 30, 1958

A starting safety on the University of Georgia's '80 national championship team, he played for the Bulldogs from '76-'80 (redshirted in '77), earning three letters, all-conference honors, and second team UPI All-America mention while in school. In '79 led the Southeastern Conference with six pass interceptions and established a new school record with three interceptions vs. Georgia Tech. Also recovered three fumbles in '79, for a total of nine turnovers. Concluded college play with appearances in the Hula Bowl and Japan Bowl. Born in Columbia, South Carolina, graduated from Brookland-Cayce H.S. in Cayce, S.C. Won eleven prep letters (three in football, two in basketball, four in baseball, and two in track). Hobby is water skiing. An '81 draft eligible.

HOSKIN HOGAN, JR. (1) QB Fort Hays State

6-1, 179 DOB: October 24, 1957

Spent the '80 training camp with the Dallas Cowboys as a free agent prospect at quarterback, and impressed enough to merit this year's trial with Denver. Completed college eligibility at Fort Hays State ('79) after transferring from Boise State, where he played from '75-'78, including a redshirt '76 season. Won all-league honors in his lone season at Fort Hays, and graduated with a communications degree in '80. Born in Los Angeles, graduated from Pius X H.S. in Downey, California. Lettered twice each in football and basketball. Hobbies include swimming, skiing, hunting, and fishing.

SCOTT WAYNE KESSLER S Pacific Lutheran

6-0, 194 DOB: June 15, 1957

An NAIA Division II All-America defensive back in '80, he played on the Division II national championship club last year, and participated in five playoff games over the '79-'80 seasons. Won two letters in two-year career ('79-'80) at Pacific Lutheran after transferring from the University of the Pacific, where he played in '78. Also attended DeHa JC in Stockton, California. Graduated from Lutheran with a physical education degree in '81. Born in Harvey, North Dakota, graduated from Lodi (California) H.S., where he earned seven letters (three in football, two in baseball, one each in basketball and track). Works as a Fellowship of Christian Athletes field associate in Honolulu, Hawaii, in the off-season. An '81 draft eligible.

MICHAEL A. (Mike) KORVAS (1) P Weber State

5-10, 186 DOB: September 29, 1956

Signed by Denver on the basis of showing in club's free agent tryout camp in May. Had free agent trials with the Seattle Seahawks in both '78 and '79. Punted for Weber State in '76-'77, after transferring from Columbia Basin J.C., where he played the '74-'75 seasons. Born in Renton, Washington, and graduated from Lindbergh H.S. in Renton.

DAVID EARL LIGGINS DB Arizona

5-11, 209 DOB: April 9, 1958

A first team All-Pacific-10 selection in '80, he was the Fiesta Bowl's defensive MVP in '79 and lettered both years at the University of Arizona. Transferred to Arizona from the University of Cincinnati, where he lettered in '76-'77. Concluded college career as a participant in the East-West and Senior Bowl games. A radio-television major. Born in Fremont, Ohio, and graduated from Fremont Ross H.S., where he lettered twice in football and three times as a pole vaulter in track. An '81 draft eligible.

HUGH ANTHONY (Tony) LINDSAY RB Utah

5-6, 179 DOB: April 25, 1958

A product of the Denver Prep League (Thomas Jefferson H.S.) who elected to play his college football at the University of Utah, he earned four letters and All-Western Athletic Conference honors as a Redskins running back from '77-'80. Was awarded team MVP honors at Utah, where he was a physical education major. Born in Denver, he won three letters each in football and track at Thomas Jefferson H.S.. Married (Kymbal), with two sons (Tony, born 5/18/78, and Gabriel, born 7/22/80). Hobbies are bowling, basketball, and golf. An '81 draft eligible.

DWAN ERIC (Eric) MANNS LB Wayne State

6-2, 214 DOB: December 18, 1981

A linebacker prospect who earned four college letters at that position, he completed his eligibility at Wayne State (in Detroit) in '80 and earned team MVP honors for two seasons. Born in South Bend, Indiana, graduated from John Adams H.S. in South Bend, winning four letters in football and two in track. Nickname is "Buster". A fashion merchandising major in college, he enjoys working with engines, fishing, hunting, and travel. An '81 draft eligible.

**WILLIAM B. (Mack) McCLUNG DE
Carson-Newman**

6-3, 245 DOB: May 4, 1956

A four-time letterman who played both the defensive and offensive lines at Carson-Newman College (in Jefferson City, Tennessee), he is projected as a defensive end by the Broncos. Played at Carson-Newman from '76-'80 and has graduated with a degree in general studies. Born in Bristol, Virginia, graduated from Sullivan East H.S. in Bristol, Tennessee, earning the prodigious total of 13 high school letters (four each in football, basketball, and baseball, and one in track). Enjoys music. An '81 draft eligible.

MICHAEL TULLIS (Mike) NOLAN S Oregon

5-10, 171 DOB: March 7, 1959

A starting safety who earned three letters at the University of Oregon, he played for the Ducks from '77-'80, and graduated this spring with a degree in sociology. Born in Baltimore, Maryland, he is the son of Houston Oilers assistant coach Dick Nolan, who was formerly head coach of the San Francisco 49ers and New Orleans Saints. Mike graduated from Woodside H.S. in Woodside, California, lettering twice as a back and kicker. Hobbies include fishing, camping, and riding motorcycles. An '81 draft eligible.

GREGORY (Greg) NUNN RB Winston-Salem

6-1, 185 DOB: January 14, 1958

A running back prospect who closed out his college play at Winston-Salem in '79-'80, he played in the Black College All-Star game at the conclusion of his senior season. Transferred from Chowan College in Murfreesboro, North Carolina, where he played in '77. Also took part in track and field as a collegian, winning two letters in the high hurdles. Born in Boston, Massachusetts, graduated from Hillside H.S. in Durham, N.C., where he earned five prep letters (two each in football and track and one in basketball). Hobbies include model cars, bicycling, and music. An '81 draft eligible.

TODD ALLAN ONDRA LB Memphis State

6-2, 213 DOB: March 25, 1959

Comes to the Broncos from four years of play ('77-'80) at Memphis State University, where he earned three letters and made honorable mention All-Metro Conference and All-South as a linebacker. Signed for Denver by former Broncos linebacker John Bramlett. Born in Bellevue, Illinois, graduated from Bradley (Illinois) H.S., where he lettered six times (twice each in football, basketball, and baseball) and was All-Conference and All-City as a linebacker. An '81 draft eligible.

HARRY PRICE (1) WR McNeese State

6-0, 184 DOB: March 1, 1956

A 12th round draft choice of the San Diego Chargers in '80, he failed to make the final roster and comes into his second pro camp this season. After redshirting in '75 he played from '76-'79 at McNeese State, earning All-Southland Conference honors for a senior year in which he caught 23 passes for a 14.4-yard average and four TDs, also returning 13 kickoffs for a 21.6-yard average. Played in the Independence Bowl. Earned four football letters at McNeese State and won three more in track. Has run a :10.5 for 100 meters and :21.5 for 200 meters. Born in Lafayette, Louisiana, graduated from Eunice (Louisiana) H.S., where he won 12 letters (four each in football, basketball, and track). Married (Kathryn) with a daughter (Sunday, born 5/26/76). Hobbies include biking, hiking, basketball, softball, and hunting.

KEVIN ALDON REDDICK DB Cal State-Fullerton

6-0, 195 DOB: August 23, 1956

An outside linebacker for two years ('79-'80) at Cal State-Fullerton, he will try to convert to the defensive backfield as a professional. Lettered both years for the Titans, after transferring there from Monterey Peninsula College, where he played the '76-'77 seasons. A business management graduate of Fullerton. Born in Topeka, Kansas, and graduated from Omaha (Nebraska) Central H.S., where he twice lettered in football. Likes horseback riding, swimming, reading, music, and community work. An '81 draft eligible.

RICHARD F. (Rich) ROBERTS TE Arizona

6-2, 238 DOB: October 22, 1957

After beginning his college play at the University of Cincinnati ('76-'77), he transferred to Arizona and played tight end for the Wildcats in '79-'80, closing out his career with an '80 Fiesta Bowl appearance. Born in Akron, Ohio, graduated from Akron Buchtel H.S., where he won eight letters (three each in football and basketball and two in baseball). A business management graduate of Arizona. Photography is his hobby. An '81 draft eligible.

FRANK P. ROS LB Georgia

6-0, 215 DOB: March 1, 1959

A native of Barcelona, Spain, he played on the University of Georgia's national championship team in '80 and earned Academic All-Southeastern Conference honors. Played at Georgia from '77-'80 and lettered three times, working both as a linebacker and on special teams for the Bulldogs. Graduated from Eastside H.S. in Greenville, South Carolina, where he lettered six times (four in football, once each in basketball and track). An '81 draft eligible.

DON J. ROSKOPF NT Howard Payne

6-1, 245 DOB: March 27, 1959

Comes to the Broncos as a nose tackle prospect after having played at Howard Payne in '79-'80, following transfer from Phoenix College in Arizona. A history and physical education major. Born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, graduated from Prescott (Arizona) H.S.. Won five prep letters (three in baseball, two in football). Married (Jane), and has a son (Don, Jr., born 11/20/80). Likes to hunt, fish, and lift weights. An '81 draft eligible.

THOMAS GERARD (Tom) SCHREMP (1) DE Wisconsin

6-4, 255 DOB: December 18, 1957

Acquired by Denver from the New York Jets May 13 in exchange for a future undisclosed draft choice. Drafted in the sixth round of the '80 draft by the Jets, he left camp and was out of football last year, working as a sales rep for a Wisconsin dairy. At Wisconsin he was second team All-Big Ten as a sophomore and honorable mention All-Big Ten as a senior, winning three letters as a Badger. Team's co-defensive player of the year in '79. Primarily a defensive tackle in college. Was named outstanding defensive lineman in Japan Bowl at close of senior year. Born in Antigo, Wisconsin, graduated from Antigo H.S., where he lettered nine times (three each in football, wrestling, and track). Married (DeeDee), with a daughter (Lisa, born 1/16/76). Hobbies include weightlifting, reading, and recording on stereo.

DAVID W. SCOTT WR Texas A & M

5-10, 173 DOB: January 29, 1959

A wide receiver who played his last two college seasons at Texas A & M ('79-'80), he was a transfer from Kilgore JC, where he twice made JC All-America as a flanker ('77-'78). Born in Jasper, Texas, and graduated from Jasper H.S., where he made All-District and All-State as a running back and safety. Earned 13 prep letters (four each in football and track, three in basketball, and two in baseball). Likes to play basketball. An '81 draft eligible.

CHRISTOPHER DAVID (Chris) SELLA (1) RB
S.W. Missouri State

5-11, 215 DOB: September 22, 1955

Comes into his second professional camp after having had a free agent trial with the Houston Oilers in '80. Earned three letters and made All-Conference while at Southwest Missouri State, playing fullback, tight end, and linebacker. Born in Greenville, Mississippi, and attended Douglas MacArthur H.S. in San Antonio, Texas and Lee's Summit H.S. in Lee's Summit, Missouri. Eight prep letters included three in football, two each in baseball and track, and one in basketball. Graduated from S.W. Missouri State in '80 and goes to graduate school at Southern Mississippi in off-season. Hobbies are water and snow skiing, fishing, and handball.

KARL A. SIVEK LB Lafayette

6-1, 228 DOB: May 5, 1957

A Pennsylvania native who played college football at Lafayette College in Easton, Pa., he will be a linebacker prospect in Denver after having played both offense and defense in college. Earned three letters and graduated with a degree in biology. Born in Uniontown, went to Belle Vernon Area H.S., and won six prep letters (two each in football, basketball, and track). An '81 draft eligible.

GEORGE ROBERT SNOWDEN T
Shepherd College

6-3, 233 DOB: October 24, 1959

Made All-West Virginia Conference and honorable mention All-America during '77-'80 career as a tackle at Shepherd College in Shepherdstown, West Virginia. Earned four letters and also saw some action at tight end and guard. Played on a club that claimed one conference title and was nationally ranked in the NAIA for three seasons. Born in Washington, D.C., and graduated from Richard Montgomery H.S. in Rockville, Maryland, lettering three times in football. Likes to lift weights, fish, and dance. An '81 draft eligible.

GARY ALAN STIGGERS WR Arkansas

5-9, 181 DOB: December 15, 1958

Won four letters as a wide receiver from '77-'80 at the University of Arkansas, posting career totals of 58 catches for 833 yards, a 14.4 average, and three TDs. As a senior he caught 18 passes for 261 yards. Led Razorbacks in receptions in '79 with 23 receptions. Born in Commerce, Texas, graduated from Arlington Heights H.S. in Fort Worth, winning three letters each in football and track. Twice was prep all-district as split end and cornerback. Hobbies include fishing and music. An '81 draft eligible.

STEVEN PHILLIP (Steve) STRAUB K Indiana

5-8, 175 DOB: April 23, 1956

Signed as a placekicker as a result of performance in Denver's May free agent tryout session. Walked on as a junior at Indiana and earned a spot on the team, playing for the Hoosiers in '78-'79. Two-letter man who handled most of the kickoff duties at Indiana, and as a senior kicked 10-of-11 extra points and was 5-for-9 on field goals, scoring 25 points. Born in Fort Wayne, Indiana and graduated from North Central H.S. in Indianapolis. Began college study at Ohio State, but transferred to Indiana for sophomore year and never played football for Buckeyes. Graduated from

Indiana last year. An '80 draft eligible, he is in his first pro camp with the Broncos.

STEVEN GARFIELD (Steve) TRIMBLE **DB**
Maryland

5-10, 181 DOB: May 11, 1958

Comes to the Broncos after a career at the University of Maryland that included three letters and appearances in the Sun Bowl ('78) and Tangerine Bowl ('80). A freshman in '76, he did not play in '77, but became a starting defensive back from '78-'80 and was a punt return specialist for the Terrapins as well. Intercepted six passes (two in each season) and returned 56 punts for the Terps. Punt return average was 8.2 as a junior and 7.5 as a senior. Born in Cumberland, Maryland, went to Fort Hill (Cumberland) H.S., where he earned seven letters (four in track, two in football, and two in football). Captained state championship prep squad, made all-state at halfback, and one year rushed for 1,677 yards and scored 32 TDs and 200 points. A criminology graduate of Maryland, he likes photography and the martial arts. An '81 draft eligible.

ROY WHITE **LB** **Lane College**

6-3, 230 DOB: August 14, 1958

Won numerous honors in two-year college career ('79-'80) at Lane College in Jackson, Tennessee, transferring to Lane from Alcorn State, where he played in '77-'78. Made first team All-Conference in both '79 and '80, was named co-player of the conference as a senior and closed out career with an appearance in the Black College All-Star game. Born in Greenville, Mississippi and attended hometown Greenville H.S., winning five prep letters (two each in football and basketball and one in track). Nickname is "Whiplash". A member of the Marine Corps Reserve in the off-season. Married (Jo Anne), and is the father of three children (two sons, Ahmad Jamal, born 10/9/80, and Rory Orlando, born 1/20/81, and a daughter, Kesiha Shontel, born 10/13/79). Lists hunting, swimming, fishing, tennis, and sharpshooting as his hobbies. An '81 draft eligible.

SHERMAN JEROME WILKINSON **CB**
Troy State

6-1, 180 DOB: September 12, 1957

Joins Denver's first year roster after having made All-Gulf States Conference as a cornerback in both '79 and '80, gaining All-America mention for the '80 campaign. Won four letters at Troy State (in Troy, Alabama) from '77-'80, and was a punt return man as well as a defensive back. Born in Opp, Alabama, he graduated from Enterprise (Ala.) H.S., where he lettered eight times (three each in football and basketball, and two in track). Enjoys swimming. An '81 draft eligible.

VETERAN ROSTER ANALYSIS

Year	Draft	Trade	Free Agents/Waivers
1969	Bill Thompson (3)		
1970	None		
1971	None		
1972	Riley Odoms (1)	Haven Moses - Bills	
1973	Barney Chavous (2)		
	Paul Howard (3a)		
	Tom Jackson (4)		
1974	Randy Gradishar (1)		
	Claudie Minor (3)		
1975	Louis Wright (1)		Bob Swenson
	Rick Upchurch (4b)		
	Rubin Carter (5b)		
	Steve Foley (8)		
1976	Tom Glassic (1)		Glenn Hyde
	Larry Evans (14)		
1977	Rob Lytle (2)	Craig Morton - Giants	Ron Egloff
	Bill Bryan (4)	Jim Jensen - Cowboys	Brison Manor
			Rob Nairne
1978	Don Latimer (1)		Larry Canada
			Maurice Harvey (W.)
			Dave Preston
1979	Kelvin Clark (1)		Jim Ryan
	Luke Prestridge (7)		Fred Steinfort
			Dave Studdard
			Steve Watson
1980	Rulon Jones (2)	Matt Robinson - Jets	Jeff Knapple
	Mike Harden (5a)	Emery Moorehead	James Wright
	Laval Short (5b)	- Giants	Larry Brunson
	Keith Bishop (6)	Perry Smith - Cardinals	Arland Thompson
	Greg Bracelin (9)		Greg Boyd
			Aaron Kyle
*1981		Tony Reed - Chiefs	I. M. Hipp
			Melvin Land
			Ken Long
			Mark Merrill
			Conrad Rucker
			John Smith
			Robert Steele
			Glen Walker

* Players acquired prior to 1981 training camp.

THE 1981 SEASON



Fred Steinfort, Broncos' Special Teams MVP in 1980, and winner of Pro Football Weekly's Golden Toe Award.

1980 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The Denver Broncos set the following records in the 1980 season:

Best completion percentage: 56.1 is a new record (55.9 in 1974 was previous high).

First downs passing: 158 is second to 1962 total of 177.

Best net punting average: 35.9 (33.7 in 1977 was previous high).

*Most net yards passing, single game: 431 yards vs. Oakland, 12/14 was second highest total ever (459 vs. Kansas City on 11/18/74 is record).

INDIVIDUAL

Some of the more significant individual season and career marks posted by members of the 1980 Broncos include:

Quarterback Craig Morton became the Denver career leader in passing yardage (8,749—previous record was 7,651 posted by Frank Tripucka), most pass completions (664—previous record was 662 by Tripucka), and most touch-down passes (53—previous record was 52 by Charley Johnson). Morton completed a career high 60.8 percent of his passes. At the conclusion of 16 NFL seasons, Morton now has attempted 3,384 passes, completed 1,810 (53.5 percent for 24,520 yards, 162 TDs and 166 interceptions).

Kicker Fred Steinfort kicked 26 of 34 field goals for a 76.5 percentage, highest in team history—previous record was 72.4 per cent by Jim Turner in 1975. Steinfort's 110 points scored were most by a Bronco since 1962 and third highest season total ever (Gene Mingo scored 137 points in 1962 and 123 in 1960). His season field goal total of 26 is second highest ever (Mingo kicked 27 in 1962). In addition, Steinfort twice kicked four field goals in one game (at Cleveland 10/5 and at Seattle 12/21), second best field goal performance ever (Mingo kicked five vs. San Diego 10/6/63). Steinfort kicked five field goals over 50 yards in distance (57, 55 and 55, all of which are Denver's longest ever, 53 and 51), equaling Mingo's **career** total of five (1960-64). He kicked 55 and 53-yarders at Seattle 12/21, tying several in NFL record book for most field goals over 50 yards in one game.

Wide receiver Haven Moses scored four touchdowns to hike his Denver career total to 44, tying Lionel Taylor for second place all-time (Floyd Little scored 54 from 1967-75).

Kickoff returner Larry Brunson returned 40 kickoffs, second highest Denver season total ever (Rick Upchurch also had 40 in 1975; record of 47 was set by Odell Barry in 1964).

Linebacker Randy Gradishar returned an interception 93 yards for TD at Cleveland (10/5), longest scoring return in Denver history and most yards on interception returns by a Bronco in one game.

Defensive end Rulon Jones recorded 11½ sacks, most ever by a Denver rookie.

HONORS

All-NFL: Randy Gradishar (The Sporting News)

Fred Steinfort (Pro Football Weekly, The Sporting News)

All-AFC: Fred Steinfort (UPI)

All-Rookie: Rulon Jones (UPI, Pro Football Weekly)

Fred Steinfort was named winner of the 1980 Golden Toe Award, given by Pro Football Weekly to the player they select as best kicker in the NFL.

Earl Hartman Award Winners (Broncos Most Valuable Players, as voted by teammates), Bill Bryan (offense), Randy Gradishar (defense), Fred Steinfort (special teams).

FINAL STATISTICS

RESULTS AND ATTENDANCE

L Denver 6, at Philadelphia 27	70,307
W Denver 41, Dallas 20	74,919
L Denver 13, San Diego 30	74,970
L Denver 14, at New England 23	59,602
W Denver 19, at Cleveland 16	81,065
W Denver 20, Washington 17	74,657
L Denver 17, Kansas City 23	74,459
W Denver 14, at New York Giants 9	67,598
L Denver 16, Houston 20	74,717
W Denver 20, at San Diego 13	51,435
W Denver 31, New York Jets 24	72,114
W Denver 36, Seattle 20	73,274
L Denver 3, at Oakland 9	51,583
L Denver 14, at Kansas City 31	40,237
L Denver 21, Oakland 24	73,974
W Denver 25, at Seattle 17	51,853

TEAM STATISTICS

	Broncos	Opponents
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	286	303
Rushing	107	125
Passing	158	158
Penalty	21	20
Third Down: Made/Attempts	84/223	91/228
Third Down Efficiency	38%	40%
TOTAL NET YARDS	4642	5242
Average Per Game	290.1	327.6
Total Plays	992	1043
Average Per Play	4.7	5.0
NET YARDS RUSHING	1865	2117
Average Per Game	116.6	132.3
Total Rushes	480	554
Average Per Rush	3.9	3.8
NET YARDS PASSING	2777	3125
Average Per Game	173.6	195.3
Tackled/Yards Lost	44/330	39/324
Gross Yards Passing	3107	3449
Attempts/Completions	467/262	449/270
Pct. of Completions	56%	60%
Had Intercepted	25	16
Average Per Pass Play	5.4	6.4
PUNTS/AVERAGE	70/43.9	70/41.6
NET PUNTING AVERAGE	35.9	34.1
Total Return Yardage	2041	2021
Punts Returns/Average	42/9.7	52/8.5
Kickoff Returns/Average	62/20.8	55/21.6
Interception Returns/Avg.	16/21.4	25/15.6
PENALTIES/YARDS	93/899	101/850
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	26/13	26/12
TOUCHDOWNS	33	34
Rushing	16	10
Passing	14	20
Returns	3	4
Extra Points Made/Attempts	32/33	32/34
Field Goals Made/Attempts	26/34	29/40
TOTAL POINTS	310	323

SCORE BY PERIODS

	1	2	3	4	OT	Total
BRONCOS	63	90	86	71	—	310
Opponents	39	158	38	88	—	323

BRONCOS AVAILABILITY CHART

PLAYER PERSONNEL CHART

*(Personnel available as of opening of pre-season training camp)
1980 starters listed in CAPS*

OFFENSE

Wide Receivers: HAVEN MOSES, RICK UPCHURCH. Other veterans—Steve Watson, Larry Brunson, Emery Moorehead. New players—Pat Walker (D11), Anthony Arnold (FA), Ron Blacken (FA), Walter Daniels (FA), Greg Foster (FA), Harry Price (FA), David Scott (FA), John Smith (FA), Robert Steele (FA), Gary Stiggers (FA).

Tight Ends: RILEY ODOMS. Other veterans—Ron Egloff, Jim Wright. New players—Clay Brown (D2), Earl Gabbidon (FA), Conrad Rucker (FA).

Tackles: KEVIN CLARK, CLAUDIE MINOR. Other veterans—Dave Studdard, Glenn Hyde. New players—Ken Lanier (D5), Ken Long (FA), George Snowden (FA).

Guards: TOM GLASSIC, PAUL HOWARD. Other veterans—Keith Bishop, Arland Thompson. New players—None.

Centers: BILL BRYAN. Other veterans—Keith Bishop, Tom Davis (FA '80, injured reserve '80). New players—Carl Allen (FA).

Quarterbacks: CRAIG MORTON. Other veterans—Matt Robinson, Jeff Knappe. New Players—Mark Herrmann (D4), Hoskin Hogan (FA).

Running Backs: DAVE PRESTON (hb), JIM JENSEN (fb). Other veterans—Rob Lytle (hb), Larry Canada (fb, injured reserve '80), Rick Parros (hb, injured reserve '80). New players—Tony Reed (hb, trade/Kansas City), Alvin Lewis (D6), Mandel Robinson (D12b), Bobbie Bramble (FA), Ron Greene (FA), Isiah Hipp (FA), Tony Lindsay (FA), Greg Nunn (FA), Chris Sella (FA).

DEFENSE

Ends: BARNEY CHAVOUS, BRISON MANOR. Other veterans—Rulon Jones, Greg Boyd. New players—Rusty Olsen (D9), Tom Schremp (trade/New York Jets), Mack McClung (FA).

Tackles: RUBIN CARTER. Other veterans—Don Latimer, Laval Short. New players—Bernard Hay (FA), Don Roskopf (FA).

Outside Linebackers: ROB NAIRNE, TOM JACKSON. Other veterans—Bob Swenson (injured reserve '80), Larry Evans, Jim Ryan, Greg Bracelin. New players—Sam Brown (FA), Rick Dennison (FA), Perry Drake (FA), Eric Manns (FA), Todd Ondra (FA), Karl Sivek (FA), Roy White (FA).

Inside Linebackers: RANDY GRADISHAR, LARRY EVANS. Other veterans—Jim Ryan. New players—Steve Busick (D7), John Hankerd (D12a), Tom Allen (FA), Mel Land (FA), Mark Merrill (FA), Frank Ros (FA).

Cornerbacks: LOUIS WRIGHT, AARON KYLE. Other veterans—Perry Smith. New players—Sherman Wilkinson (FA).

Safeties: BILL THOMPSON, STEVE FOLEY. Other veterans—Maurice Harvey, Mike Harden. New players—Dennis Smith (D1), Tom Gibbons (FA), Mackel Harris (FA), Jeff Hipp (FA), Scott Kessler (FA), David Liggins (FA), Mike Nolan (FA), Kevin Reddick (FA), Scott Trimble (FA).

Kickers: FRED STEINFORT. New players—Steve Straub (FA), Glen Walker (FA).

Punters: LUKE PRESTRIDGE. New players—Mike Korvas. (FA).

DENVER BRONCOS 1981 VETERAN ROSTER

No.	Name	Position	Height	Weight	NFL Exp.	Birthdate	Birthplace	College	Residence	Games in '80
54	Bishop, Keith	C	6-3	260	2	3/10/57	San Diego, CA	Baylor	Englewood, CO	16
77	Boyd, Greg	DE	6-6	280	4	9/15/53	Merced, CA	San Diego St.	Santa Barbara, CA	16
52	Bracelin, Greg	LB	6-1	218	2	4/16/57	Lawrence, KS	California	Aurora, CO	12
82	Brunson, Larry	WR/KR	5-11	180	8	8/11/49	Little Rock, AR	Colorado	Englewood, CO	13
64	Bryan, Bill	C	6-2	244	5	6/21/55	Burlington, NC	Duke	Burlington, NC	16
35	Canada, Larry	RB	6-2	226	3	12/16/54	Chicago, IL	Wisconsin	Aurora, CO	0
68	Carter, Rubin	DT	6-0	253	7	12/12/52	Pompano Beach, FL	Miami (Fla.)	Aurora, CO	16
79	Chavous, Barney	DE	6-3	245	9	3/22/51	Aiken, SC	So. Carolina St.	Aurora, CO	16
73	Clark, Kevin	T	6-3	245	3	1/30/56	Odessa, TX	Nebraska	Englewood, CO	14
85	Egloff, Ron	TE	6-5	227	5	10/3/55	Plymouth, MI	Wisconsin	Aurora, CO	16
56	Evans, Larry	LB	6-2	220	6	7/11/53	Mountrose, MS	Mississippi Col.	Long Beach, MS	16
43	Foley, Steve	S	6-2	190	6	11/11/53	New Orleans, LA	Tulane	New Orleans, LA	16
62	Glassic, Tom	G	6-3	250	6	4/17/54	Elizabeth, NJ	Virginia	Littleton, CO	13
53	Gradishar, Randy	LB	6-3	231	8	3/3/52	Warren, OH	Ohio St.	Littleton, CO	16
31	Harden, Mike	S	6-0	188	2	2/16/58	Memphis, TN	Michigan	Highland Park, MI	16
27	Harvey, Maurice	DB	5-10	190	3	1/14/56	Cincinnati, OH	Ball St.	Denver, CO	15
23	Hipp, Isiah	RB	5-11	202	2	2/15/56	Chapin, SC	Nebraska	Columbia, SC	1
60	Howard, Paul	G	6-3	260	8	9/12/50	San Jose, CA	Brigham Young	Redding, CA	14
65	Hyde, Glenn	T	6-3	252	6	3/14/51	Boston, MA	Pittsburgh	Denver, CO	16
57	Jackson, Tom	LB	5-11	228	9	4/4/51	Cleveland, OH	Louisville	Denver, CO	16
30	Jensen, Jim	RB	6-3	230	5	11/28/53	Waterloo, IA	Iowa	Englewood, CO	14
75	Jones, Rulon	DE	6-6	260	2	3/25/58	Salt Lake City, UT	Utah St.	Thornton, CO	16
16	Knapple, Jeff	QB	6-2	200	2	8/27/56	Wertzberg, W. Ger.	No. Colorado	Boulder, CO	2
22	Kyle, Aaron	CB	5-11	185	6	4/6/54	Detroit, MI	Wyoming	Denver, CO	10

67	Land, Melvin	LB	6-3	240	3	11/30/55	Youngstown, OH	Michigan St.	Campbell, OH	3
72	Latimer, Don	DT	6-2	253	4	3/1/55	Ft. Pierce, FL	Miami (Fla.)	Aurora, CO	14
76	Long, Kenneth	T	6-4	260	2	7/24/53	Pittsburgh, PA	Purdue	Ravenna, OH	0
41	Lyle, Rob	RB	6-1	195	5	11/12/54	Fremont, OH	Michigan	Englewood, CO	16
66	Manor, Brison	DE	6-4	248	5	8/10/52	Bridgeton, NJ	Arkansas	N Little Rock, AR	16
55	Merrill, Mark	LB	6-4	240	3	5/5/55	St. Paul, MN	Minnesota	New Brighton, MN	0
71	Minor, Claudie	T	6-4	275	8	4/21/51	Pamona, CA	San Diego St.	Englewood, CO	15
86	Moorehead, Emery	WR	6-2	210	5	3/22/54	Evanston, IL	Colorado	Broomfield, CO	16
7	Morton, Craig	QB	6-4	211	17	2/5/43	Flint, MI	California	Englewood, CO	12
25	Moses, Haven	WR	6-2	201	14	7/27/46	Los Angeles, CA	San Diego St.	Denver, CO	15
58	Nairne, Rob	LB	6-4	220	5	3/24/54	Redding, CA	Oregon St.	Englewood, CO	16
88	Odoms, Riley	TE	6-4	235	10	3/1/50	Corpus Christi, TX	Houston	Houston, TX	15
46	Preston, Dave	RB	5-10	195	4	5/29/55	Dayton, OH	Bowling Green	Englewood, CO	12
11	Prestridge, Luke	P	6-4	235	3	9/17/56	Houston, TX	Baylor	Englewood, CO	16
33	Reed, Tony	RB	5-10	197	5	3/30/55	San Francisco, CA	Colorado	Denver, CO	15
17	Robinson, Matt	QB	6-2	196	5	6/28/55	Farmington, MI	Georgia	Denver, CO	14
89	Rucker, Conrad	TE	6-3	245	4	11/15/55	Cincinnati, OH	Southern	Houston, TX	5
50	Ryan, Jim	LB	6-1	212	3	5/18/57	Camden, NJ	William & Mary	Bellmawr, NJ	16
63	Short, Laval	DT	6-3	250	2	9/29/58	Nashville, TN	Colorado	Littleton, CO	15
83	Smith, John	WR	6-0	175	2	1/27/56	Tuskegee, AL	Tennessee St.	Nashville, TN	0
45	Smith, Perry	CB	6-1	190	9	3/29/51	Greer City, SC	Colorado St.	Ft. Collins, CO	14
84	Steele, Robert	WR	6-4	202	2	8/2/56	Columbus, GA	North Alabama	Columbus, GA	0
19	Steinfert, Fred	K	5-11	180	6	11/3/52	Wetter/Ruhr, W. Ger	Boston Col.	Denver, CO	16
70	Studdard, Dave	T	6-4	255	3	11/22/55	San Antonio, TX	Texas	Westminster, CO	16
51	Swenson, Bob	LB	6-3	225	7	7/1/53	Stockton, CA	California	Evergreen, CO	0
61	Thompson, Arland	G	6-3	265	2	9/9/57	Lockney, TX	Baylor	Denver, CO	2
36	Thompson, Bill	S	6-1	197	13	10/10/46	Greenville, SC	Maryland St.	Lakewood, CO	16
80	Upchurch, Rick	WR/KR	5-10	176	7	5/20/52	Toledo, OH	Minnesota	Englewood, CO	16
18	Walker, Glen	K	5-11	212	3	1/16/52	Gardena, CA	Southern California	Cypress, CA	0
81	Watson, Steve	WR	6-4	192	3	5/28/57	Baltimore, MD	Temple	Newark, DE	16
87	Wright, Jim	TE	6-3	240	3	9/1/56	Fort Hood, TX	Texas Christian	Brenham, TX	1
20	Wright, Louis	CB	6-2	200	7	1/31/53	Gilmer, TX	San Jose St.	Bakersfield, CA	15

1981 ROOKIE, FIRST YEAR ROSTER

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	College	How Acq.
Allen, Carl	C	6-4	250	Long Beach St.	FA
Allen, Tom	LB	6-5	250	Arizona St.	FA
Arnold, Anthony	WR	5-11	176	Georgia	FA
Blacken, Ron	WR	5-10	191	Washington	FA
Bramble, Bobbie	RB	5-9	175	American International	FA
Brown, Clay	TE	6-2	223	BYU	D2
Brown, Sam	LB	6-2	226	Cornell	FA
Busick, Steve	LB	6-4	227	Southern California	D7
Daniels, Walter	WR	5-11	165	Southeastern Oklahoma	FA
Davis, Tom	C	6-2	240	Nebraska	FA-80
Dennison, Rick	LB	6-3	210	Colorado St.	FA
Drake, Perry	LB	6-2	225	Utah	FA
Gabbidon, Earl	TE	6-3	223	Arizona State	FA
Gibbons, Tom	S	6-0	188	Notre Dame	FA
Foster, Greg	WR	6-2	217	Illinois	FA
Greene, Ron	RB	6-0	211	California St.	FA
Hankerd, John	LB	6-3	238	Notre Dame	D12a
Harris, Mackel	DB	6-0	200	Georgia Tech	FA
Hay, Bernard	NT	6-1	243	Michigan St.	FA
Herrmann, Mark	QB	6-4	184	Purdue	D4
Hipp, Jeff	S	6-2	194	Georgia	FA
Hogan, Hoskin	QB	6-1	179	Ft. Hays St.	FA
Kessler, Scott	DB	6-0	194	Pacific Lutheran	FA
Korvas, Mike	P	5-10	186	Weber State	FA
Lanier, Ken	T	6-3	269	Florida St.	D5
Lewis, Alvin	RB	5-11	185	Colorado St.	D6
Liggins, David	DB	5-11	209	Arizona	FA
Lindsay, Tony	RB	5-6	179	Utah	FA
Manns, Eric	LB	6-2	214	Wayne St.	FA
McClung, Mack	DE	6-3	245	Carson-Newman	FA
Nolan, Mike	S	5-10	171	Oregon	FA
Nunn, Greg	RB	6-1	185	Winston-Salem	FA
Olsen, Rusty	DE	6-3	251	Washington	D9
Ondra, Todd	LB	6-2	213	Memphis St.	FA
Parros, Rick	RB	5-11	200	Utah St.	D4-80
Price, Harry	WR/RS	6-0	184	McNeese St.	FA
Reddick, Kevin	DB	6-0	195	California St. (Fullerton)	FA
Roberts, Richard	TE	6-2	238	Arizona St.	FA
Robinson, Mandel	RB	6-1	215	Wyoming	D12b
Ros, Frank	LB	6-0	215	Georgia	FA
Roskopf, Don	NT	6-1	245	Howard Payne	FA
Schremp, Tom	DE	6-4	255	Wisconsin	Trade-Jets
Scott, David	WR	5-10	173	Texas A&M	FA
Sella, Chris	RB	5-11	215	S.W. Missouri St.	FA
Sivek, Karl	LB	6-1	228	Lafayette	FA
Smith, Dennis	S	6-3	200	Southern California	D1
Snowden, George	T	6-3	233	Sheppard Col.	FA
Stiggers, Gary	WR	5-9	181	Arkansas	FA
Straub, Steve	K	5-8	175	Indiana	FA
Trimble, Steve	DB	5-10	181	Maryland	FA
Walker, Pat	WR	6-2	180	Miami (Fla.)	D11
White, Roy	LB	6-3	230	Lane College	FA
Wilkinson, Sherman	CB	6-1	180	Troy St.	FA

RUSHING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Jensen	101	476	4.7	32	2
Armstrong	106	470	4.4	20	4
Preston	111	385	3.5	19	4
Lytle	57	223	3.9	35	1
Keyworth	38	127	3.3	14	1
McCutcheon	12	52	4.3	12	0
Upchurch	5	49	9.8	21	0
Robinson	21	47	2.2	22	3
Morton	21	29	1.4	9	1
Moorehead	2	7	3.5	4	0
Knapple	6	0	0.0	9	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	480	1865	3.9	35	16
Opp. Total	554	2117	3.8	55	10

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	Avg./ Att.	TD
Morton	301	183	2150	.608	7.14	12
Knapple	4	1	15	.250	3.75	0
Robinson	162	78	942	.481	5.81	2
McCutcheon	0	0	0	.000	0.00	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	467	262	3107	.561	6.65	14
Opp. Total	449	270	3449	.601	7.68	20

PASSING

	Pct. TD	Int.	Pct. Int.	LG	TKD/ Lost	Rating
Morton	.040	13	.043	41	26/190	77.8
Knapple	.000	0	.000	15	0/0	42.7
Robinson	.012	12	.074	52	17/136	39.5
McCuthceon	.000	0	.000	0	1/4	39.5
BRONCOS TOTAL	.030	25	.054	52	44/330	64.0
Opp. Total	.045	16	.036	56T	39/324	84.1

RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Jensen	49	377	7.7	28	1
Upchurch	46	605	13.2	35	3
Odoms	39	590	15.1	30	6
Moses	38	674	17.7	33	4
Preston	35	309	8.8	36	0
Lytle	18	177	9.8	37	0
Keyworth	15	87	5.8	22	0
Armstrong	7	23	3.3	8	0
Watson	6	146	24.3	52	0
Egloff	6	85	14.2	24	0
Brunson	1	15	15.0	15	0
McCutcheon	1	12	12.0	12	0
Larson	1	7	7.0	7	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	262	3107	11.9	52	14
Opp. Total	270	3449	12.8	56T	20

INTERCEPTIONS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Foley	4	115	28.8	36	0
Gradishar	2	96	48.0	93T	1
Thompson	2	49	24.5	36	0
Smith	2	3	1.5	3	0
Ryan	1	21	21.0	21	0
Harvey	1	18	18.0	18	0
Latimer	1	15	15.0	15T	1
Evans	1	13	13.0	13	0
Jackson	1	11	11.0	11	0
Nairne	1	2	2.0	2	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	16	343	21.4	93T	2
Opp. Total	25	390	15.6	68T	2

PUNTING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TB	In 20	LG	Blk
Prestridge	70	3076	43.9	6	10	57	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	70	3076	43.9	6	10	57	0
Opp. Total	70	2914	41.6	6	13	64	0

SCORING

	TDR	TDP	TDRt	PAT	FG	S	TP
Steinfort				32/33	26/34		110
Odoms		6					36
Moses		4					24
Preston	4						24
Armstrong	4						24
Robinson	3						18
Upchurch		3					18
Jensen	2	1					18
Lytle	1						6
Morton	1						6
Gradishar			1				6
Latimer			1				6
Keyworth	1						6
Thompson			1				6
BRONCOS TOTAL	16	14	3	32/33	26/34	1	**310
Opp. Total	10	20	4	32/34	29/40		323

** Includes 1 safety

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	FC	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Upchurch	37	6	353	9.5	34	0
Harden	2	0	36	18.0	23	0
Brunson	2	0	12	6.0	12	0
Preston	1	0	7	7.0	7	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	42	6	408	9.7	34	0
Opp. Total	52	4	443	8.5	75T	1

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Brunson	40	923	23.1	53	0
Harden	12	214	17.8	35	0
Preston	5	106	21.2	26	0
Lytle	1	19	19.0	19	0
Moorehead	1	18	18.0	18	0
Jensen	1	5	5.0	5	0
Watson	1	5	5.0	5	0
Ryan	1	0	0.0	0	0
BRONCOS TOTAL	62	1290	20.8	53	0
Opp. Total	55	1188	21.6	38	0

FIELD GOALS

	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
Steinfort	2-2	5-5	4-5	10-14	5-8	26-34
Broncos	2-2	5-5	4-5	10-14	5-8	26-34
Opp. Total	2-2	9-11	10-14	7-9	1-4	29-40

GAMES PLAYED

Armstrong 9, Bishop 16, Boyd 16, Bracelin 12, Brunson 13, Bryan 16, Carter 16, Chavous 16, Clark 14, Egloff 16, Evans 16, Foley 16, Glassic 13, Gradishar 16, Harden 16, Harvey 15, Howard 14, Hyde 16, B. Jackson 4, T. Jackson 16, Jensen 14, Jones 16, Keyworth 10, Knapple 2, Kyle 10, Larson 2, Latimer 14, Lytle 16, Manor 16, McCutcheon 6, Minor 15, Moorehead 16, Morton 12, Moses 15, Nairne 16, Norman 3, Odoms 15, Preston 12, Prestridge 16, Rizzo 4, Robinson 14, Ryan 16, Short 15, A. Smith 2, P. Smith 14, Steinfort 16, Studdard 16, A. Thompson 2, B. Thompson 16, Upchurch 16, Watson 16, J. Wright 1, L. Wright 15.

1980 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Compiled from Coaching Film Study)

Name	Tckls	Asts	Scks	Yds	Incpts	Yds	OFR	Yds
Boyd	27	15	9	87			1	0
Bracelin	0	0						
Carter	76	35	3½	36			2	0
Chavous	55	46	4½	40			1	0
Evans	112	58	1	9	1	13		
Foley	77	29			4	115		
Gradishar	150	100	1	6	2	96(93TD)		
Harden	3	0						
Harvey	20	7			1	18		
B. Jackson	17	6			1	11		
T. Jackson	106	63	5½	53				
Jones	47	35	11½	98			1	0
Kyle	53	19					1	15
Latimer	50	21	1	8	1	15TD		
Manor	40	24	2	18			1	5
Nairne	109	41			1	2	2	0
Rizzo	22	13						
Ryan	18	11			1	21		
Short	15	9						
P. Smith	5	2			2	3		
Thompson	81	41			2	49	2	32(32TD)
Wright	59	17						

BLOCKED EXTRA POINT: Carter.

SAFETY: Jones.

TOP PERFORMANCES OF 1980

Individual

RUSHING—Otis Armstrong, 22/107, vs. Washington (10/13). **PASSING**—Percentage: Craig Morton, .773 on 17 of 22, vs. Houston (11/2). Yards: Craig Morton, 338, vs. Oakland (12/14). Touchdowns: Craig Morton, 2, vs. Kansas City (10/19), vs. New York Jets (11/16), vs. Seattle (11/23), and at Kansas City (12/7). **RECEIVING**—Number: Jim Jensen, 9, vs. San Diego (9/21). Yards: Haven Moses, 141, vs. Oakland (12/14). **INTERCEPTIONS**—10 players with 1 each. Yards: Randy Gradishar, 93, at Cleveland (10/5). **KICKOFF RETURNS**—Larry Brunson, 5 for 121 yards, vs. Kansas City (10/19). **PUNT RETURNS**—Rick Upchurch, 5, vs. San Diego (9/21). Yards: Rick Upchurch, 58, at New York Giants (10/26). **SCORING**—Fred Steinfert, 13, at Cleveland (10/5) and at Seattle (12/21). **TOUCHDOWNS**—Dave Preston, 2, vs. Oakland (12/14), and Matt Robinson, 2, vs. Dallas (9/14).

Team

TOTAL OFFENSE—507 (76 rushing, 431 passing), vs. Oakland (12/14). **RUSHING**—212 at New York Giants (10/26). **PASSING**—431 vs. Oakland (12/14). **SCORING**—41 vs. Dallas (9/14). **TOTAL DEFENSE**—215 (164 rushing, 51 passing), at Oakland (12/1). **RUSHING DEFENSE**—69 vs. Seattle (11/23). **PASSING DEFENSE**—51 at Oakland (12/1). **SCORING DEFENSE**—9, at New York Giants (10/26), and 9, at Oakland (12/1).

Longest Plays

RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE—Rob Lytle, 35, at Seattle (12/21). **PASS PLAY**—Matt Robinson to Steve Watson, 52 yards, vs. Dallas (9/14). **KICKOFF RETURN**—Larry Brunson, 53 yards, at San Diego (11/9). **PUNT RETURN**—Rick Upchurch, 34 yards, at New York Giants (10/26). **INTERCEPTION RETURN**—Randy Gradishar, 93 yards, at Cleveland (10/26). **FUMBLE RETURN**—Bill Thompson, 32 yards, vs. Dallas (9/14). **PUNT**—Luke Prestridge, 57 yards, vs. Oakland (12/14). **FIELD GOAL**—Fred Steinfert, 57 yards, vs. Washington (10/13).



BRONCOS DEPARTMENTAL LEADERS

Category	Player	AFC Rank	AFC Leader	NFL Rank	NFL Leader
Scoring	Steinfort—110	3rd (Kickers)	Smith, NE—129	4th	Smith, NE—129
Rushing	Jensen—476	20th	Campbell, Hou—1934	39th	Campbell, Hou—1934
Passing	Morton—183-301, 2150 yards, 12 TD, 13 int., 77.9 rating	3rd	Sipe, Clev—91.4	10th	Sipe, Clev—91.4
Receiving	Jensen—49	T-14th	Winslow, SD—89	T-23rd	Winslow, SD—89
	Moses—674 yards	21st	Jefferson, SD—1340	37th	Jefferson, SD—1340
Punting	Prestridge—43.9 avg.	1st	Prestridge, Den—43.9	2nd	Jennings, NYG—44.8
Interceptions	Foley—4	T-7th	Hayes, Oak—13	T-7th	Hayes, Oak—13
Kickoff returns	Brunson—23.1 avg.	3rd	Ivory, NE—27.6	7th	Ivory, NE—27.6
Punt returns	Upchurch—9.5 avg.	5th	Smith, KC—14.5	12th	Smith, KC—14.5

HOW THE BRONCOS RANKED

Category	Bronco Total	AFC Rank	AFC Leader	NFL Rank	NFL Leader
OFFENSE					
Points scored	310	9th	New England—441	16th	Dallas—454
First downs	286	10th	San Diego—372	T-18th	San Diego—372
Total plays	991	14th	San Diego—1135	27th	San Diego—1135
Total yards	4642	12th	San Diego—6410	25th	San Diego—6410
Rushing yards	1865	12th	Houston—2635	20th	Los Angeles—2799
Passing yards	3107	10th	San Diego—4531	18th	San Diego—4531
Penalties	93	10th	Cincinnati—118	20th	Cincinnati—118
					Los Angeles—118

Penalty yards	899	8rd	Cleveland — 1042	14th	Cleveland — 1042
Fumbles	25	10th	Kansas City — 42	21st	Kansas City — 42
Fumbles lost	12	11th	Buffalo — 22	T-22nd	Buffalo — 22
			San Diego — 22		San Diego — 22

DEFENSE

Points allowed	323	8th	Houston — 251	16th	Philadelphia — 222
Touchdowns rushing	10	3rd	Kansas City — 8	T-6th	Kansas City — 8
					Atl-8, Phila-8
Touchdowns passing	20	5th	Buffalo — 15	T-10th	Detroit — 14
Total first downs	303	8th	Buffalo — 251	16th	Buffalo — 251
Rushing	125	10th	Houston — 94	17th	Philadelphia — 87
Passing	158	6th	Buffalo — 120	12th	Buffalo — 120
Penalty	20	5th	New England — 11	T-8th	New England — 11
Total yards allowed	5245	10th	Buffalo — 4101	15th	Buffalo — 4101
Rushing	2120	12th	Oakland — 1726	20th	Philadelphia — 1618
Passing	3449	9th	Buffalo — 2561	15th	Washington — 2504
Interceptions	16	14th	Oakland — 35	25th	Oakland — 35
Takeaways-Giveaways	—9	T-12th	Kansas City — (+13)	T-23rd	Atlanta — (+16)

GAME-BY-GAME REVIEW

EAGLES 27, BRONCOS 6 Sunday, September 7 at Philadelphia

Denver	0	0	6	0	—	6
Philadelphia	7	13	0	7	—	27
Phil—Carmichael 56 pass from Jaworski (Franklin kick)						
Phil—Franklin 17 FG						
Phil—Fitzkee 16 pass from Jaworski (Franklin kick)						
Phil—Franklin 32 FG						
Den—Steinfert 44 FG						
Den—Steinfert 43 FG						
Phil—Spagnola 11 pass from Jaworski (Franklin kick)						
ATT—70,307						

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	Phil
First downs	14	21
Total net yards	233	421
Net yards rushing	93	137
Net yards passing	140	284
Total plays	69	67
Passes	41-18-2	30-19-0
Return yards	126	116
Penalty yards	35	68

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING—Robinson 2-16, Jensen 7-23, Preston 4-20, Armstrong 6-24, Lytle 3-7, McCutcheon 1-3. **PASSING**—Robinson 18-41-2, 178 yards. **RECEIVING**—Upchurch 6-75, Jensen 6-33, Odoms 3-47, Preston 2-11, McCutcheon 1-12.

Philadelphia

RUSHING—Montgomery 19-71, Harrington 9-49, Smith 1-6, Jaworski 2-2, Giammona 2-4, Campfield 1-2, Dixon 1-3. **PASSING**—Jaworski 18-28-0, 281 yards, Pisarcik 1-2-0, 6 yards. **RECEIVING**—Montgomery 6-50, Carmichael 3-135, Harrington 2-18, Spagnola 3-29, Smith 1-13, Fitzkee 1-16, Campfield 2-19, Gilbert 1-7.

BRONCOS 41, COWBOYS 20 Sunday, September 14 at Denver

Dallas	0	10	3	7	—	20
Denver	7	17	14	3	—	41
Den—Robinson 1 run (Steinfert kick)						
Den—Steinfert 46 FG						
Den—Robinson 3 run (Steinfert kick)						
Dal—Hill 31 pass from White (Septien kick)						
Den—Thompson 32 fumble return (Steinfert kick)						
Dal—Septien 30 FG						
Dal—Septien 37 FG						
Den—Armstrong 3 run (Steinfert kick)						
Den—Jensen 4 run (Steinfert kick)						
Dal—Hill 22 pass from White (Septien kick)						
Den—Steinfert 55 FG						
ATT—74,919						

TEAM STATISTICS

	Dal	Den
First downs	20	19
Total net yards	386	343
Net yards rushing	110	153
Net yards passing	276	190
Total plays	64	62
Passes	34-20-1	21-10-0
Return yards	129	62
Penalty yards	30	85

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Dallas

RUSHING — Dorsett 17-62, Springs 10-36, Newhouse 1-3, J. Jones 1-9. **PASSING** — White 20-34-1, 292 yards. **RECEIVING** — Dorsett 4-41, Hill 5-117, Pearson 1-3, Saldi 4-50, Springs 1-10, J. Jones 2-27, Newhouse 2-32, DuPree 1-12.

Denver

RUSHING — Preston 11-24, Jensen 8-33, Armstrong 7-34, Robinson 3-4, McCutcheon 6-30, Lytle 5-28. **PASSING** — Robinson 10-20-0, 189 yards, Knapple 0-1-0, 0 yards. **RECEIVING** — Moses 2-37, Jensen 1-4, Odoms 3-55, Preston 2-33, Watson 1-52, Lytle 1-17.

CHARGERS 30, BRONCOS 13

Sunday, September 21 at Denver

San Diego	3	24	3	0	—	30
Denver	3	3	7	0	—	13

SD — Benirschke 53 FG

Den — Steinfort 51 FG

SD — Cappelletti 1 run (Benirschke kick)

Den — Steinfort 48 FG

SD — Joiner 22 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)

SD — Edwards 68 interception return (Benirschke kick)

SD — Benirschke 32 FG

SD — Benirschke 42 FG

Den — Moses 15 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

ATT — 74,970

TEAM STATISTICS

	SD	Den
First downs	16	22
Total net yards	303	374
Net yards rushing	92	153
Net yards passing	211	221
Total plays	60	76
Passes	27-13-3	43-25-6
Return yards	161	182
Penalty yards	103	98

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

San Diego

RUSHING — Cappelletti 8-26, Fouts 2-0, C. Williams 16-53, Bauer 3-11, Russell 2-6, Harrington 1-(-2), Luther 1-(-2). **PASSING** — Fouts 13-27-3, 211 yards. **RECEIVING** — Cappelletti 3-27, Joiner 4-80, Winslow 3-60, Jefferson 3-44.

Denver

RUSHING — Jensen 12-85, Preston 6-26, Robinson 3-1, McCutcheon 2-15, Armstrong 3-25, Lytle 1-1. **PASSING** — Robinson 13-25-4, 146 yards, Morton 12-18-2, 124 yards. **RECEIVING** — Jensen 9-59, Odoms 2-29, Preston 3-19, Moses 5-103, Upchurch 1-25, Armstrong 3-5, Lytle 1-6, Egloff 1-24.

PATRIOTS 23, BRONCOS 14

Monday, September 29 at New England

Denver	7	0	7	0	—	14
New England	3	7	7	6	—	23

Den—Moses 17 pass from Robinson (Steinfort kick)

NE—Smith 26 FG

NE—Ferguson 2 run (Smith kick)

Den—Armstrong 8 run (Steinfort kick)

NE—Morgan 45 pass from Grogan (Smith kick)

NE—Smith 19 FG

NE—Smith 36 FG

ATT—59,602

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	NE
First downs	8	23
Total net yards	170	357
Net yards rushing	108	157
Net yards passing	62	200
Total plays	42	72
Passes	12-8-1	24-17-1
Return yards	128	81
Penalty yards	92	74

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING — Armstrong 15-80, Jensen 8-23, Lytle 2-3, Robinson 2-2. **PASSING** — Robinson 8-12-1, 83 yards. **RECEIVING** — Jensen 5-21, Moses 2-40, Odoms 1-22.

New England

RUSHING — Ferguson 22-69, Calhoun 15-54, Jackson 1-16, Grogan 8-15, Morgan 1-3. **PASSING** — Grogan 17-24-1, 209 yards. **RECEIVING** — Calhoun 4-24, Ferguson 4-24, Morgan 3-83, Francis 3-45, Jackson 2-24, Ivory 1-9.

BRONCOS 19, BROWNS 16

Sunday, October 5 at Cleveland

Denver	3	10	3	3	—	19
Cleveland	3	10	3	0	—	16

Den—Steinfort 18 FG

Clev—Cockroft 24 FG

Den—Steinfort 47 FG

Clev—Rucker 40 pass from Sipe (Cockroft kick)

Den—Gradishar 93 interception return (Steinfort kick)

Clev—Cockroft 45 FG

Den—Steinfort 41 FG

Clev—Cockroft 40 FG

Den—Steinfort 19 FG

ATT—81,065

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	Clev
First downs	17	18
Total net yards	239	358
Net yards rushing	82	103
Net yards passing	157	255
Total plays	61	64
Passes	26-14-1	40-20-1
Return yards	194	164
Penalty yards	30	97

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING — Robinson 2-4, Armstrong 12-36, Jensen 10-27, Lytle 5-7, McCutcheon 1-3, Morton 4-5. **PASSING** — Robinson 5-14-1, 57 yards, Morton 9-12-0, 109 yards. **RECEIVING** — Armstrong 1-4, Jensen 4-44, Larson 1-7, Upchurch 5-53, Moses 2-53, Egloff 1-5.

Cleveland

RUSHING — White 11-32, M. Pruitt 9-60, G. Pruitt 2-2, Newsome 1-9. **PASSING** — Sipe 20-40-1, 258 yards. **RECEIVING** — Logan 3-32, Rucker 3-83, M. Pruitt 5-49, Newsome 4-37, G. Pruitt 4-34, Feacher 1-23.

BRONCOS 20, REDSKINS 17

Monday, October 13 at Denver

Washington	3	0	7	7	—	17
Denver	7	3	3	7	—	20

Den — Armstrong 8 run (Steinfort kick)

Wash — Moseley 23 FG

Den — Steinfort 57 FG

Wash — Jackson 55 run (Moseley kick)

Den — Steinfort 23 FG

Wash — Monk 1 pass from Theismann (Moseley kick)

Den — Upchurch 32 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

ATT — 74,657

TEAM STATISTICS

	Wash	Den
First downs	15	19
Total net yards	314	297
Net yards rushing	184	165
Net yards passing	130	132
Total plays	61	59
Passes	23-18-0	19-11-1
Return yards	109	97
Penalty yards	68	18

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Washington

RUSHING — Hardeman 4-2, Jackson 12-104, Harmon 14-52, Theismann 3-9, Hammond 2-17. **PASSING** — Theismann 18-23-0, 158 yards. **RECEIVING** — Hammond 2-21, Jackson 2-18, Monk 6-47, Harmon 5-53, Warren 3-19.

Denver

RUSHING — Armstrong 22-107, Robinson 1-22, Jensen 7-26, Morton 3-4, Lytle 2-5, McCutcheon 2-1. **PASSING** — Robinson 5-11-1, 43 yards, Morton 6-8-0, 108 yards. **RECEIVING** — Upchurch 5-93, Jensen 4-35, Odoms 1-13, Lytle 1-10.

CHIEFS 23, BRONCOS 17

Sunday, October 19 at Denver

Kansas City	3	10	7	3	—	23
Denver	7	7	3	0	—	17

KC — Lowery 37 FG

Den — Upchurch 14 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

Den — Odoms 6 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

KC — Lowery 39 FG

KC — Dixon 26 pass from Fuller (Lowery kick)

Den — Steinfort 41 FG

KC — Marshall 46 pass from Fuller (Lowery kick)

KC — Lowery 34 FG

ATT — 74,459

TEAM STATISTICS

	KC	Den
First downs	19	17
Total net yards	361	268
Net yards rushing	178	86
Net yards passing	183	182
Total plays	65	56
Passes	20-14-0	32-18-2
Return yards	125	133
Penalty yards	30	24

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Kansas City

RUSHING — Reed 10-29, McKnight 16-63, Fuller 4-16, Morgado 7-34, Belton 7-36. **PASSING** — Fuller 14-20-0, 189 yards. **RECEIVING** — Reed 2-11, Marshall 6-103, Carson 1-4, McKnight 1-14, Dixon 1-26, Smith 1-18, Morgado 2-13.

Denver

RUSHING — Jensen 9-34, Armstrong 11-41, Lytle 1-6, Morton 1-5. **PASSING** — Morton 18-31-2, 199 yards, Robinson 0-1-0, 0 yards. **RECEIVING** — Moses 5-71, Armstrong 1-4, Upchurch 5-79, Jensen 3-20, Odoms 2-15, Keyworth 1-0, Lytle 1-10.

BRONCOS 14, GIANTS 9

Sunday, October 26 at New York

Denver	0	7	7	0	—	14
New York	3	6	0	0	—	9

NY—Danelo 28 FG

Den—Jensen 1 run (Steinfort kick)

NY—Danelo 28 FG

NY—Danelo 45 FG

Den—Armstrong 2 run (Steinfort kick)

ATT—67,598

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	NY
First downs	21	15
Total net yards	276	315
Net yards rushing	212	127
Net yards passing	64	188
Total plays	68	65
Passes	20-8-0	36-19-1
Return yards	180	36
Penalty yards	30	65

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING — Jensen 14-92, Armstrong 25-106, Lytle 1-1, Preston 1-4, Morton 1-0, Robinson 2-(-2), Keyworth 3-11. **PASSING** — Morton 7-19-0, 65 yards, Robinson 1-1-0, 7 yards. **RECEIVING** — Upchurch 4-42, Jensen 1-11, Preston 1-4, Armstrong 1-8, Moses 1-7.

New York

RUSHING — Simms 2-30, Taylor 11-48, Matthews 9-28, Perry 1-9, Heater 4-12. **PASSING** — Simms 19-36-1, 200 yards. **RECEIVING** — Pittman 6-79, Gray 3-51, Shirk 3-32, Friede 2-13, Mullady 1-4, Taylor 3-13, Heater 1-8.

OILERS 20, BRONCOS 16

Sunday, November 2 at Denver

Houston	0	7	6	7	—	20
Denver	6	3	0	7	—	16

Den—Steinfort 45 FG

Den—Steinfort 20 FG

Hou—Campbell 1 run (Fritsch kick)

Den—Steinfort 28 FG

Hou—Campbell 9 run (kick blocked)

Hou—Carpenter 2 run (Fritsch kick)

Den—Jensen 8 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

ATT—74,717

TEAM STATISTICS

	Hou	Den
First downs	23	18
Total net yards	330	252
Net yards rushing	173	96
Net yards passing	157	156
Total plays	65	54
Passes	19-11-0	22-17-0
Return yards	61	109
Penalty yards	38	48

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Houston

RUSHING—Campbell 36-157, Wilson 1-1, Carpenter 6-17, Nielsen 1-0, Stabler 1-(-2). **PASSING**—Stabler 11-19-0, 164 yards. **RECEIVING**—Burrough 3-79, Casper 2-15, Coleman 1-5, Carpenter 2-20, Johnson 1-(-1), Barber 2-46.

Denver

RUSHING—Armstrong 5-17, Jensen 6-19, Lytle 4-12, Preston 10-41, Morton 2-2, Keyworth 2-5. **PASSING**—Morton 17-22-0, 168 yards. **RECEIVING**—Armstrong 1-2, Jensen 4-30, Odoms 1-19, Egloff 2-23, Keyworth 1-7, Preston 3-16, Lytle 2-19, Upchurch 2-37, Moses 1-15.

BRONCOS 20, CHARGERS 13

Sunday, November 9 at San Diego

Denver	0	7	6	7	—	20
San Diego	0	6	0	7	—	13

SD—Benirschke 30 FG

SD—Benirschke 34 FG

Den—Lytle 3 run (Steinfort kick)

Den—Steinfort 28 FG

Den—Steinfort 42 FG

Den—Preston 4 run (Steinfort kick)

SD—Jefferson 3 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)

ATT—51,435

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	SD
First downs	11	26
Total net yards	219	459
Net yards rushing	88	135
Net yards passing	131	324
Total plays	54	80
Passes	24-12-0	45-29-1
Return yards	144	124
Penalty yards	60	16

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING — Jensen 4-16, Preston 15-40, Upchurch 2-30, Lytle 4-6, Keyworth 1-1, Morton 2-(-5). **PASSING** — Morton 12-24-0, 144 yards. **RECEIVING** — Preston 2-40, Jensen 5-39, Upchurch 2-18, Odoms 3-47.

San Diego

RUSHING — Muncie 23-115, Cappelletti 2-9, Thomas 2-9, Fouts 2-2. **PASSING** — Fouts 29-45-1, 363 yards. **RECEIVING** — McCrary 2-13, Joiner 9-127, Winslow 4-32, Jefferson 5-78, Muncie 3-38, Thomas 2-34, Smith 3-33, C. Williams 1-8.

BRONCOS 31, JETS 24

Sunday, November 16 at Denver

New York	7	10	0	7	—	24
Denver	3	7	7	14	—	31

Den — Steinfort 30 FG

NY — Walker 36 pass from Todd (Leahy kick)

NY — Leahy 23 FG

NY — J. Jones 31 pass from Todd (Leahy kick)

Den — Odoms 22 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

Den — Preston 3 run (Steinfort kick)

Den — Keyworth 1 run (Steinfort kick)

NY — Dierking 1 run (Leahy kick)

Den — Upchurch 13 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

ATT — 72, 144

TEAM STATISTICS

	NY	Den
First downs	14	29
Total net yards	300	390
Net yards rushing	99	115
Net yards passing	201	275
Total plays	57	70
Passes	25-14-1	39-27-2
Return yards	125	193
Penalty yards	52	65

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

New York

RUSHING — Dierking 18-58, Long 6-17, Todd 2-8, Harper 3-11, Newton 1-5. **PASSING** — Todd 14-25-1, 218 yards. **RECEIVING** — J. Jones 5-103, Harper 2-17, Walker 2-62, Long 3-17, Shuler 2-19.

Denver

RUSHING — Keyworth 11-53, Preston 10-46, Lytle 2-11, Upchurch 1-6, Morton 3-(-1). **PASSING** — Morton 27-39-2, 306 yards. **RECEIVING** — Preston 8-67, Mose 6-90, Odoms 6-77, Upchurch 3-30, Keyworth 2-5, Lytle 2-37.

BRONCOS 36, SEAHAWKS 20

Sunday, November 23 at Denver

Seattle	0	10	0	10	—	20
Denver	7	10	3	16	—	36

Den—Odoms 2 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

Sea—Herrera 21 FG

Sea—Lewis 75 punt return (Herrera kick)

Den—Steinfort 24 FG

Den—Morton 1 run (Steinfort kick)

Den—Steinfort 33 FG

Sea—Herrera 20 FG

Den—Moses 27 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

Den—Latimer 15 interception return (Steinfort kick)

Den—Safety Jones tackled Zorn in end zone

Sea—McCutcheon 5 pass from Adkins (Herrera kick)

ATT—73,274

TEAM STATISTICS

	Sea	Den
First downs	14	17
Total net yards	220	268
Net yards rushing	69	73
Net yards passing	151	195
Total plays	57	64
Passes	26-16-3	30-20-2
Return yards	224	151
Penalty yards	68	50

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Seattle

RUSHING—Zorn 3-25, Moore 6-5, Jodat 10-21, Brinson 3-6, McCutcheon 1-(-1), Adkins 2-13. **PASSING**—Zorn 12-18-2, 147 yards, Adkins 4-8-1, 45 yards. **RECEIVING**—Largent 4-83, Raible 2-21, McCullum 2-21, Sawyer 2-26, Moore 2-18, Jodat 1-11, Brinson 1-9, McCutcheon 2-3.

Denver

RUSHING—Keyworth 11-28, Preston 7-23, Lytle 7-15, Morton 3-17, Moses 1-(-8), Robinson 2-(-2). **PASSING**—Morton 19-28-1, 192 yards, Robinson 1-2-1, 21 yards. **RECEIVING**—Upchurch 4-32, Preston 3-29, Odoms 6-92, Moses 2-32, Keyworth 2-2, Lytle 2-5, Egloff 1-21.

RAIDERS 9, BRONCOS 3

Monday, December 1 at Oakland

Denver	3	0	0	0	—	3
Oakland	0	0	6	3	—	9

Den—Steinfort 41 FG

Oak—Plunkett 8 run (kick failed)

Oak—Bahr 44 FG

ATT—51,583

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	Oak
First downs	12	15
Total net yards	216	215
Net yards rushing	95	164
Net yards passing	121	51
Total plays	59	65
Passes	35-19-3	19-9-0
Return yards	76	189
Penalty yards	84	30

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING—Jensen 8-41, Preston 6-30, Keyworth 5-14, Upchurch 2-13, Lytle 1-(-3). **PASSING**—Morton 19-35-3, 136 yards. **RECEIVING**—Upchurch 4-54, Keyworth 4-31, Jensen 4-24, Preston 3-17, Lytle 3-(-2), Egloff 1-12.

Oakland

RUSHING—King 16-87, van Eeghen 14-53, Whittington 8-13, Plunkett 4-8, Jensen 1-3. **PASSING**—Plunkett 9-19-0, 78 yards. **RECEIVING**—van Eeghen 3-37, King 2-16, Branch 2-13, Chandler 1-10, Whittington 1-2.

CHIEFS 31, BRONCOS 14

Sunday, December 7 at Kansas City

Denver	0	0	7	7	—	14
Kansas City	0	28	0	3	—	31

KC—Smith 33 pass from Kenney (Lowery kick)

KC—Morgado 1 run (Lowery kick)

KC—Howard 3 fumble recovery return (Lowery kick)

KC—Garcia 8 pass from Kenney (Lowery kick)

Den—Odoms 22 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

Den—Moses 4 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

KC—Lowery 20 FG

ATT—40,237

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	KC
First downs	21	22
Total net yards	348	331
Net yards rushing	132	199
Net yards passing	216	132
Total plays	66	68
Passes	35-20-1	18-12-1
Return yards	122	55
Penalty yards	55	25

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING—Jensen 5-47, Preston 14-52, Keyworth 3-9, Lytle 4-24. **PASSING**—Morton 20-35-1, 263 yards. **RECEIVING**—Jensen 2-19, Moses 5-69, Upchurch 3-41, Odoms 2-28, Lytle 3-48, Preston 3-38, Keyworth 1-6, Watson 1-14.

Kansas City

RUSHING—Hadnot 14-60, McKnight 16-67, Kenney 4-6, Belton 4-20, Morgado 8-21, Marshall 1-9, Reed 2-16. **PASSING**—Kenney 12-18-1, 142 yards. **RECEIVING**—McKnight 1-6, Hadnot 2-15, Belton 1-5, Reed 1-5, Smith 2-47, Morgado 1-3, Marshall 2-21, Garcia 1-8, Carson 1-32.

RAIDERS 24, BRONCOS 21

Sunday, December 14 at Denver

Oakland	7	10	0	7	—	24
Denver	0	7	7	7	—	21

Oak—Owens 58 interception return (Bahr kick)

Den—Preston 2 run (Steinfort kick)

Oak—Bahr 44 FG

Oak—Chandler 11 pass from Plunkett (Bahr kick)

Den—Odoms 11 pass from Morton (Steinfort kick)

Oak—Chandler 38 pass from Plunkett (Bahr kick)

Den—Preston 9 run (Steinfort kick)

ATT—73,974

TEAM STATISTICS

	Oak	Den
First downs	15	26
Total net yards	276	507
Net yards rushing	97	76
Net yards passing	179	431
Total plays	60	71
Passes	21-13-1	42-26-3
Return yards	217	59
Penalty yards	30	45

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Oakland

RUSHING—Whittington 12-18, van Eeghen 20-72, King 3-1, Plunkett 1-6. **PASSING**—Plunkett 13-21-1, 213 yards. **RECEIVING**—Whittington 2-23, Chester 3-58, van Eeghen 3-20, Branch 1-26, Chandler 3-69, Ramsey 1-17.

Denver

RUSHING—Preston 16-50, Jensen 3-10, Lytle 4-11, Keyworth 1-3, Morton 2-2. **PASSING**—Morton 18-30-1, 338 yards, Robinson 8-12-2, 110 yards. **RECEIVING**—Preston 4-27, Lytle 1-22, Moses 6-141, Jensen 2-40, Odoms 8-128, Keyworth 3-32, Watson 2-58.

BRONCOS 25, SEAHAWKS 17

Sunday, December 21 at Seattle

Denver	10	9	6	0	—	25
Seattle	0	0	3	14	—	17

Den—Steinfort 53 FG

Den—Odoms 18 pass from Robinson (Steinfort kick)

Den—Robinson 1 run (kick failed)

Den—Steinfort 55 FG

Sea—Herrera 47 FG

Den—Steinfort 34 FG

Den—Steinfort 38 FG

Sea—McCutcheon 2 run (Herrera kick)

Sea—Jodat 9 pass from Zorn (Herrera kick)

ATT—51,853

TEAM STATISTICS

	Den	Sea
First downs	15	27
Total net yards	236	299
Net yards rushing	135	96
Net yards passing	101	203
Total plays	60	72
Passes	26-10-0	41-26-2
Return yards	85	119
Penalty yards	80	56

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver

RUSHING—Lytle 11-89, Preston 10-29, Moorehead 2-7, Robinson 3-7, Keyworth 1-3, Knapple 6-0. **PASSING**—Robinson 9-23-0, 99 yards, Knapple 1-3-0, 15 yards. **RECEIVING**—Upchurch 2-26, Watson 2-22, Odoms 1-18, Moses 1-16, Brunson 1-15, Preston 1-8, Lytle 1-5, Keyworth 1-4.

Seattle

RUSHING—Jodat 10-33, McCutcheon 5-32, Zorn 3-27, Doornink 1-4, Largent 1-2, Hunter 2-2, Adkins 1-0, Moore 1-(-4). **PASSING**—Zorn 22-33-2, 222 yards, Adkins 4-6-0, 53 yards, Krieg 0-2-0, 0 yards. **RECEIVING**—Largent 5-70, Sawyer 5-35, Jodat 4-25, McCullum 3-37, Doornink 2-29, Hunter 2-27, Raible 2-24, McCutcheon 2-17, Moore 1-11.

1980 FINAL STANDINGS

American Football Conference

Eastern Division						
	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*Buffalo	11	5	0	.688	320	260
New England	10	6	0	.625	441	325
Miami	8	8	0	.500	266	305
Baltimore	7	9	0	.438	355	387
N.Y. Jets	4	12	0	.250	302	395
Central Division						
*Cleveland	11	5	0	.688	357	310
#Houston	11	5	0	.688	295	251
Pittsburgh	9	7	0	.563	353	313
Cincinnati	6	10	0	.375	244	312
Western Division						
*San Diego	11	5	0	.688	418	327
#Oakland	11	5	0	.688	364	306
Kansas City	8	8	0	.500	319	336
Denver	8	8	0	.500	310	323
Seattle	4	12	0	.250	291	408

National Football Conference

Eastern Division						
	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*Philadelphia	12	4	0	.750	384	222
#Dallas	12	4	0	.750	454	311
Washington	6	10	0	.375	261	293
St. Louis	5	11	0	.313	299	350
N.Y. Giants	4	12	0	.250	249	425
Central Division						
*Minnesota	9	7	0	.563	317	308
Detroit	9	7	0	.563	334	272
Chicago	7	9	0	.438	304	264
Tampa Bay	5	10	1	.344	231	371
Green Bay	5	10	1	.344	271	341
Western Division						
*Atlanta	12	4	0	.750	405	272
#Los Angeles	11	5	0	.688	424	289
San Francisco	6	10	0	.375	320	415
New Orleans	1	15	0	.063	291	487

*Division Champion

#Wild Card for Playoffs

1980 NFL POST-SEASON AT A GLANCE

(Announced attendance in parentheses, home team in capitals)

Sunday, December 28

AFC First Round: OAKLAND 27, Houston 7 (52,762)
 NFC First Round: DALLAS 34, Los Angeles 13 (64,533)

Saturday, January 3

NFC Divisional Playoff: PHILADELPHIA 31, Minnesota 16 (68,434)
 AFC Divisional Playoff: SAN DIEGO 20, Buffalo 14 (52,028)

Sunday, January 4

AFC Divisional Playoff: Oakland 14, CLEVELAND 12 (77,655)
 NFC Divisional Playoff: Dallas 30, ATLANTA 27 (60,022)

Sunday, January 11

NFC Ch'ship Game: PHILADELPHIA 20, Dallas 7 (70,696)
 AFC Ch'ship Game: Oakland 34, SAN DIEGO 27 (52,428)

Sunday, January 25

Super Bowl XV: Oakland 27, PHILADELPHIA 10 (75,500) at Superdome,
 New Orleans, Louisiana

Sunday, February 1

AFC-NFC Pro Bowl: NFC 21, AFC 7 (50,360) at Aloha Stadium, Honolulu, Hawaii

1980 NFL PAID ATTENDANCE IS RECORD 13,392,230 FOR HIGHEST AVERAGE EVER OF 59,787 FOR 224 GAMES

Official National Football League figures reveal that the NFL set a paid attendance record during the 1980 season.

Total paid attendance for 224 regular season games was 13,392,230 for an average of 59,787, the highest in the league's 61-year history. This season's total bettered the previous mark of 13,182,039 set in 1979. The 1980 record total represents 92.43 percent of stadia capacity.

Paid attendance at all NFL games—including preseason, regular and postseason—surpassed 16 million for the third year in a row. The total for 291 games was 16,824,762 for an average of 57,817.

Paid attendance for 10 postseason games was 625,065, topped by the 78,245 tickets sold for the Oakland at Cleveland AFC Divisional Playoff game on Jan. 4. Super Bowl XV drew a sellout crowd of 76,135 at the Louisiana Superdome in New Orleans.

The Detroit Lions led the NFL in home paid attendance with 634,204, followed by Cleveland's 623,351 and the New York Giants' 604,918. Eight other teams went over the 500,000 mark: Denver 595,440, Buffalo 592,008, Tampa Bay 566,347, Philadelphia 562,239, Los Angeles 541,592, Seattle 511,767, Chicago 506,283 and Dallas 506,281.

In the eighth season in which NFL games were made available to local television after selling out 72 hours in advance of kickoff, 146 of 224 games (65.1 percent) were telecast in the home team area. No-shows totalled 958,887 (7 percent).

1980 ATTENDANCE BREAKDOWN

	Games	Attendance	Average	Compare 1979
AFC Preseason	7	366,251	52,322	
NFC Preseason	7	422,700	60,386	
AFC-NFC Preseason, Interconference	43	2,018,516	46,942	
NFL Preseason Total	57	2,807,467	49,254	2,790,606
AFC Regular Season	86	4,991,143	58,037	
NFC Regular Season	86	5,322,712	61,892	
AFC-NFC Regular Season, Interconference	52	3,078,375	59,200	
NFL Regular Season Total	224	13,392,230	59,787	13,182,039
AFC First Round Playoff (Houston-Oakland)	1	53,333		
AFC Divisional Playoffs (Buffalo-San Diego) (Oakland-Cleveland)	2	52,253 78,245		
AFC Championship (Oakland-San Diego)	1	52,675		
NFC First Round Playoff (Los Angeles-Dallas)	1	63,052		
NFC Divisional Playoffs (Minnesota-Philadelphia) (Dallas-Atlanta)	2	70,178 59,793		
NFC Championship (Dallas-Philadelphia)	1	71,522		
Super Bowl XV at New Orleans ¹ (Oakland-Philadelphia)		76,135		
AFC-NFC Pro Bowl at Honolulu, Hawaii	1	47,879		
Postseason Total	10	625,065	62,506	630,326
NFL All Games	291	16,824,762	57,817	16,602,971

HISTORY AND RECORDS



Bill Thompson, 1980 defensive captain and the only 13-year Bronco in Denver history.

NOTABLE PERFORMANCES

THE LAST TIME . . .

PUNT RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN —

Broncos: Rick Upchurch, 75 yards, vs. San Diego, 9/17/78.
Opponent: Will Lewis, 75 yards, vs. Seattle, 11/23/80.

KICKOFF RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN —

Broncos: Randy Montgomery, 94 yards, at San Diego, 9/24/72.
Opponent: James Owens, 85 yards, at San Francisco, 11/18/79.

INTERCEPTION RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN —

Broncos: Don Latimer, 15 yards, vs. Seattle, 11/23/80.
Opponent: Burgess Owens, 58 yards, vs. Oakland, 12/14/80.

FUMBLE RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN (DEFENSE) —

Broncos: Bill Thompson, 32 yards, vs. Dallas, 9/14/80.
Opponent: Thomas Howard, 3 yards, at Kansas City, 12/7/80.

BLOCKED PUNT RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN —

Broncos: Rob Nairne, 22 yards, vs. New England, 11/11/79.
Opponent: Jim Stienke, 1 yard, vs. New York Giants, 11/21/76.

BLOCKED FIELD GOAL RETURN FOR TOUCHDOWN —

Broncos: John Bramlett, 86 yards, vs. San Diego, 11/27/66.
Opponent: Les Duncan, 72 yards, at San Diego, 11/23/67.

SAFETY —

Broncos: Rulon Jones tackled Jim Zorn in end zone, vs. Seattle, 11/23/80.
Opponent: Willie Lanier tackled Otis Armstrong in end zone, vs. Kansas City, 11/18/74.

SHUTOUT —

Broncos: Denver 7, San Diego 0, 10/7/79.
Opponent: Denver 0, at San Diego 23, 10/8/78.

100 YARDS RUSHING —

Broncos: Otis Armstrong, 25-106 yards, 1 TD, at New York Giants, 10/26/80.
Opponent: Booker Russell, 8-100, 1 TD, vs. Oakland, 11/25/79.

300 YARDS PASSING —

Broncos: Craig Morton, 18-30, 338 yards, 1 TD, vs. Oakland, 12/14/80.
Opponent: Dan Fouts, 29-45, 363 yards, 1 TD, at San Diego 11/9/80.

100 YARDS RECEIVING —

Broncos: Riley Odoms, 8-128 yards, 1 TD, vs. Oakland, 12/14/80.
 Haven Moses, 6-141 yards, 0 TD, vs. Oakland, 12/14/80.
Opponent: Johnny Jones, 5-103 yards, 1 TD, vs. New York Jets, 11/16/80.

1,000-YARD RUSHING SEASONS

OTIS ARMSTRONG, 1974 — 1,407 yards and 9 TDs

		Carries	Yards	Cumulative
9/15	vs. Los Angeles	12	31	12-31
9/22	vs. Pittsburgh	19	131	31-162
9/30	at Washington	11	32	42-194
10/6	at Kansas City	14	48	56-242
10/13	vs. New Orleans	13	57	69-299
10/20	vs. San Diego	20	98	89-397
10/27	at Cleveland	17	142	106-539
11/3	vs. Oakland	20	88	126-627
11/10	at Baltimore	19	110	145-737
11/18	vs. Kansas City	16	55	161-792
11/24	at Oakland	29	146	190-938
11/28	at Detroit	24	144	214-1,082
12/8	vs. Houston	31	183	245-1,265
12/15	at San Diego	18	142	263-1,407

1,000-YARD RUSHING SEASONS (Continued)

FLOYD LITTLE, 1971—1,133 yards and 6 TDs

		Carries	Yards	Cumulative
9/19	vs. Miami	23	70	23-70
9/26	at Green Bay	16	53	39-123
10/3	vs. Kansas City	13	27	52-150
10/10	vs. Oakland	16	39	68-189
10/17	vs. San Diego	17	62	85-251
10/24	at Cleveland	25	113	110-364
10/31	at Philadelphia	24	123	134-487
11/7	vs. Detroit	22	91	156-578
11/14	vs. Cincinnati	22	101	178-679
11/21	at Kansas City	13	63	191-742
11/28	at Pittsburgh	22	91	213-833
12/5	vs. Chicago	29	125	242-958
12/12	at San Diego	18	96	260-1,054
12/19	at Oakland	24	79	284-1,133

OTIS ARMSTRONG, 1976—1,008 yards and 5 TDs

		Carries	Yards	Cumulative
9/12	at Cincinnati	24	96	24-96
9/19	vs. New York Jets	17	94	41-190
9/26	vs. Cleveland	18	23	59-213
10/3	vs. San Diego	23	91	82-304
10/10	at Houston	12	47	94-351
10/17	vs. Oakland	21	70	115-421
10/24	at Kansas City	16	101	131-522
10/31	at Oakland	14	63	145-585
11/7	vs. Tampa Bay	18	116	163-701
11/14	at San Diego	13	35	176-736
11/21	vs. New York Giants	24	97	200-833
11/28	at New England	4	14	204-847
12/5	vs. Kansas City	17	45	221-892
12/12	at Chicago	26	116	247-1,008

100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

Player	Performance	Opponent
Don Stone	17-104, 1 TD	Oct. 6, 1963 vs. San Diego
Billy Joe	20-105, 0 TD	Nov. 17, 1963 vs. New York
Billy Joe	16-108, 1 TD	Nov. 15, 1964 vs. New York
Cookie Gilchrist	32-142, 0 TD	Sept. 24, 1965 at Boston
Cookie Gilchrist	16-119, 0 TD	Nov. 14, 1965 at Houston
Floyd Little	25-126, 1 TD	Oct. 27, 1968 vs. Miami
Floyd Little	30-147, 1 TD	Nov. 3, 1968 at Boston
Floyd Little	21-105, 1 TD	Sept. 14, 1969 vs. Boston
Floyd Little	15-104, 1 TD	Sept. 21, 1969 vs. New York Jets
Floyd Little	29-166, 1 TD	Oct. 19, 1969 at Cincinnati
Floyd Little	16-140, 1 TD	Oct. 25, 1970 at San Francisco
Bobby Anderson	25-106, 1 TD	Oct. 17, 1971 vs. San Diego
Floyd Little	25-113, 1 TD	Oct. 24, 1971 at Cleveland
Floyd Little	24-123, 1 TD	Oct. 31, 1971 at Philadelphia
Floyd Little	22-101, 0 TD	Nov. 14, 1971 vs. Cincinnati
Floyd Little	29-125, 0 TD	Dec. 5, 1971 vs. Chicago
Floyd Little	22-101, 0 TD	Sept. 17, 1972 vs. Houston
Floyd Little	18-100, 2 TD	Oct. 15, 1972 vs. Minnesota
Floyd Little	14-124, 1 TD	Nov. 5, 1972 at New York Giants
Joe Dawkins	30-117, 0 TD	Oct. 28, 1973 at New York Jets
Floyd Little	19-123, 1 TD	Oct. 14, 1973 at Houston
Floyd Little	22-109, 2 TD	Nov. 11, 1973 vs. San Diego
Otis Armstrong	19-131, 0 TD	Sept. 22, 1974 vs. Pittsburgh
Otis Armstrong	17-142, 1 TD	Oct. 27, 1974 at Cleveland
Otis Armstrong	19-110, 1 TD	Nov. 10, 1974 at Baltimore
Otis Armstrong	29-146, 0 TD	Nov. 24, 1974 at Oakland
Jon Keyworth	15-148, 1 TD	Nov. 24, 1974 at Oakland
Otis Armstrong	24-144, 1 TD	Nov. 28, 1974 at Detroit

100 YARD RUSHING GAMES (Continued)

Otis Armstrong	31-183, 3 TD	Dec. 8, 1974 vs. Houston
Otis Armstrong	18-142, 0 TD	Dec. 15, 1974 at San Diego
Jon Keyworth	20-132, 0 TD	Nov. 30, 1975, vs. San Diego
Otis Armstrong	16-101, 1 TD	Oct. 24, 1976 at Kansas City
Otis Armstrong	18-116, 0 TD	Nov. 7, 1976 vs. Tampa Bay
Otis Armstrong	26-116, 1 TD	Dec. 12, 1976 at Chicago
Norris Weese	12-120, 0 TD	Dec. 12, 1976 at Chicago
Otis Armstrong	21-120, 0 TD	Nov. 20, 1977 at Kansas City
Rob Lytle	16-110, 1 TD	Nov. 19, 1978 vs. Green Bay
Rob Lytle	18-102, 1 TD	Nov. 25, 1979 vs. Oakland
Otis Armstrong	22-107, 1 TD	Oct. 13, 1980 vs. Washington
Otis Armstrong	25-106, 1 TD	Oct. 26, 1980 at New York Giants

TOTALS—Floyd Little 15, Otis Armstrong 13, Billy Joe 2, Cookie Gilchrist 2, Jon Keyworth 2, Rob Lytle 2, Donnie Stone 1, Bobby Anderson 1, Joe Dawkins 1, Norris Weese 1.

300-YARD PASSING GAMES

Player	Performance	Opponent
Frank Tripucka	30-52-2, 375 yards and 3 TD	Nov. 6, 1960 vs. Houston
Frank Tripucka	19-41-5, 328 yards and 3 TD	Nov. 27, 1960 vs. Buffalo
Frank Tripucka	28-47-2, 376 yards and 2 TD	Sept. 7, 1962 vs. San Diego
Frank Tripucka	29-56-3, 447 yards and 2 TD	Sept. 15, 1962 at Buffalo
Frank Tripucka	26-40-1, 308 yards and 1 TD	Oct. 21, 1962 vs. Houston
Jacky Lee	11-36-1, 370 yards and 1 TD	Dec. 5, 1965 at Oakland
John McCormick	13-37-3, 328 yards and 3 TD	Dec. 18, 1966 at Buffalo
Marlin Briscoe	12-29-2, 335 yards and 4 TD	Nov. 24, 1968 vs. Buffalo
Steve Tensi	19-26-1, 301 yards and 3 TD	Nov. 23, 1969 at San Diego
Charley Johnson	20-28-0, 361 yards and 2 TD	Oct. 22, 1972 at Oakland
Charley Johnson	24-39-2, 326 yards and 1 TD	Sept. 20, 1973 vs. Chicago
Charley Johnson	28-42-2, 445 yards and 2 TD	Nov. 18, 1974 vs. Kansas City
Charley Johnson	12-20-2, 329 yards and 3 TD	Sept. 21, 1975 vs. Kansas City
Craig Morton	27-39-2, 306 yards and 2 TD	Nov. 16, 1980 vs. N.Y. Jets
Craig Morton	18-30-1, 338 yards and 1 TD	Dec. 14, 1980 vs. Oakland

TOTALS—Frank Tripucka 5, Charley Johnson 4, Craig Morton 2, Jacky Lee 1, John McCormick 1, Marlin Briscoe 1, Steve Tensi 1.

100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

Player	Performance	Opponent
Al Carmichael	6-130, 1 TD	Sept. 9, 1960 at Boston
Lionel Taylor	6-125, 1 TD	Sept. 23, 1960 at New York
Lionel Taylor	7-101, 2 TD	Oct. 2, 1960 vs. Oakland
Al Carmichael	3-109, 2 TD	Oct. 23, 1960 vs. Boston
Lionel Taylor	10-106, 1 TD	Oct. 23, 1960 vs. Boston
Lionel Taylor	10-140, 1 TD	Nov. 6, 1960 vs. Houston
Al Carmichael	7-117, 2 TD	Nov. 6, 1960 vs. Houston
Lionel Taylor	10-138, 0 TD	Nov. 20, 1960 at Houston
Lionel Taylor	9-199, 3 TD	Nov. 27, 1960 vs. Buffalo
Lionel Taylor	9-171, 1 TD	Dec. 10, 1960 at Los Angeles
Lionel Taylor	7-132, 2 TD	Sept. 10, 1961 at Buffalo
Lionel Taylor	11-126, 0 TD	Sept. 24, 1961 at New York
Lionel Taylor	9-118, 0 TD	Oct. 1, 1961 at Oakland
Lionel Taylor	7-120, 1 TD	Oct. 8, 1961 vs. Dallas
Al Frazier	7-166, 1 TD	Oct. 15, 1961 vs. Oakland
Al Frazier	6-126, 1 TD	Oct. 22, 1961 vs. New York
Al Frazier	5-125, 1 TD	Nov. 12, 1961 vs. San Diego
Lionel Taylor	10-119, 0 TD	Nov. 12, 1961 vs. San Diego
Donnie Stone	9-137, 1 TD	Dec. 3, 1961 vs. Boston
Lionel Taylor	9-133, 0 TD	Sept. 15, 1962 at Buffalo
Al Frazier	4-125, 1 TD	Sept. 15, 1962 at Buffalo
Lionel Taylor	12-119, 0 TD	Sept. 21, 1962 at Buffalo
Jerry Tarr	4-152, 2 TD	Sept. 21, 1962 at Boston
Lionel Taylor	7-110, 0 TD	Dec. 9, 1962 at Dallas
Lionel Taylor	7-169, 1 TD	Sept. 29, 1963 vs. Boston

100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES (Continued)

Lionel Taylor	7-142, 2 TD	Oct. 6, 1963 vs. San Diego
Bob Scarpitto	4-134, 2 TD	Oct. 13, 1963 vs. Houston
Lionel Taylor	10-116, 1 TD	Dec. 15, 1963 at Oakland
Gene Prebola	4-106, 1 TD	Dec. 15, 1963 at Oakland
Lionel Taylor	8-149, 0 TD	Sept. 27, 1964 vs. Houston
Hewritt Dixon	4-109, 0 TD	Oct. 25, 1964 at Oakland
Hewritt Dixon	5-121, 1 TD	Nov. 1, 1964 at Kansas City
Al Denson	3-113, 1 TD	Nov. 1, 1964 at Kansas City
Lionel Taylor	13-112, 0 TD	Nov. 29, 1964 vs. Oakland
Bob Scarpitto	11-111, 1 TD	Dec. 20, 1964 at Houston
Bob Scarpitto	5-108, 2 TD	Sept. 11, 1965 at San Diego
Lionel Taylor	9-172, 1 TD	Sept. 19, 1965 vs. Buffalo
Lionel Taylor	7-114, 0 TD	Nov. 7, 1965 vs. San Diego
Lionel Taylor	11-141, 2 TD	Nov. 21, 1965 vs. Oakland
Lionel Taylor	8-164, 0 TD	Dec. 5, 1965 at Oakland
Wendell Hayes	5-126, 1 TD	Dec. 5, 1965 at Oakland
Al Denson	5-158, 1 TD	Oct. 2, 1966 vs. Houston
Charlie Mitchell	4-126, 1 TD	Dec. 4, 1966 vs. Miami
Bob Scarpitto	5-123, 3 TD	Dec. 18, 1966 at Buffalo
Al Denson	4-131, 2 TD	Sept. 3, 1967 vs. Boston
Al Denson	7-134, 1 TD	Sept. 24, 1967 vs. New York Jets
Eric Crabtree	6-123, 1 TD	Oct. 22, 1967 vs. San Diego
Al Denson	4-107, 1 TD	Oct. 29, 1967 at Kansas City
Al Denson	7-102, 2 TD	Nov. 19, 1967 at Buffalo
Eric Crabtree	8-107, 1 TD	Nov. 23, 1967 at San Diego
Eric Crabtree	6-129, 1 TD	Dec. 17, 1967 vs. Kansas City
Al Denson	8-115, 0 TD	Sept. 15, 1968 at Cincinnati
Eric Crabtree	7-113, 0 TD	Sept. 22, 1968 at Kansas City
Eric Crabtree	5-148, 1 TD	Oct. 13, 1968 at New York Jets
Jimmy Jones	8-128, 2 TD	Oct. 20, 1968 at San Diego
Floyd Little	4-165, 1 TD	Nov. 24, 1968 vs. Buffalo
Al Denson	6-131, 2 TD	Dec. 8, 1968 at Oakland
Mike Haffner	4-122, 0 TD	Dec. 14, 1968 vs. Kansas City
Al Denson	6-138, 1 TD	Sept. 28, 1969 at Buffalo
Mike Haffner	6-102, 1 TD	Oct. 26, 1969 at Houston
Al Denson	6-140, 2 TD	Nov. 23, 1969 at San Diego
John Embree	9-122, 1 TD	Nov. 23, 1969 at San Diego
Jerry Simmons	6-153, 0 TD	Nov. 21, 1971 at Kansas City
Rod Sherman	4-110, 0 TD	Sept. 17, 1972 vs. Houston
Jerry Simmons	6-118, 1 TD	Oct. 22, 1972 at Oakland
Bobby Anderson	13-143, 0 TD	Sept. 10, 1973 vs. Chicago
Riley Odoms	5-114, 1 TD	Nov. 4, 1973 at St. Louis
Haven Moses	5-108, 2 TD	Nov. 25, 1973 vs. Kansas City
Haven Moses	5-132, 0 TD	Oct. 13, 1974 vs. New Orleans
Floyd Little	7-127, 0 TD	Oct. 20, 1974 vs. San Diego
Riley Odoms	7-125, 0 TD	Nov. 18, 1974 vs. Kansas City
Rick Upchurch	3-153, 1 TD	Sept. 21, 1975 vs. Kansas City
*Haven Moses	5-168, 2 TD	Jan. 1, 1978 vs. Oakland
Haven Moses	5-115, 0 TD	Nov. 12, 1978 at Cleveland
Haven Moses	5-101, 1 TD	Nov. 19, 1978 vs. Green Bay
Riley Odoms	7-165, 2 TD	Dec. 10, 1978 vs. Kansas City
Haven Moses	5-116, 1 TD	Dec. 16, 1978 vs. Pittsburgh
Riley Odoms	5-125, 0 TD	Sept. 23, 1979 vs. Seattle
Haven Moses	4-107, 1 TD	Oct. 14, 1979 at Kansas City
Haven Moses	5-133, 1 TD	Oct. 22, 1979 at Pittsburgh
Riley Odoms	7-114, 0 TD	Oct. 28, 1979 vs. Kansas City
Haven Moses	5-103, 1 TD	Sept. 21, 1980 vs. San Diego
Haven Moses	6-141, 0 TD	Dec. 14, 1980 vs. Oakland
Riley Odoms	8-128, 1 TD	Dec. 14, 1980 vs. Oakland

TOTALS—Lionel Taylor 24, Al Denson 10, Haven Moses 10 (includes one playoff game), Riley Odoms 6, Eric Crabtree 5, Al Frazier 4, Bob Scarpitto 4, Al Carmichael 3, Hewritt Dixon 2, Mike Haffner 2, Floyd Little 2, Jerry Simmons 2, Jimmy Jones 1, Gene Prebola 1, Jerry Tarr 1, Donnie Stone 1, Wendell Hayes 1, Charlie Mitchell 1, John Embree 1, Rod Sherman 1, Bobby Anderson 1, Rick Upchurch 1.

ALL-TIME HONORS

1980 — All NFL: Randy Gradishar (The Sporting News), Fred Steinfert (Pro Football Weekly, The Sporting News). All-AFC: Fred Steinfert (UPI). Pro Football Weekly Golden Toe Award Winner: Fred Steinfert. Hartman Award Winners: Bill Bryan, Randy Gradishar, Fred Steinfert.

1979 — Pro Bowl: Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Rick Upchurch, Louis Wright. All-NFL: Randy Gradishar (PFWA, Pro Football Weekly, AP-2nd team), Rick Upchurch (PFWA, Pro Football Weekly, AP-2nd team), Louis Wright (AP, NEA, PFWA, Pro Football Weekly). All-AFC: Randy Gradishar (Pro Football Weekly, The Sporting News, UPI-2nd team), Bob Swenson (UPI-2nd team), Bill Thompson (UPI), Rick Upchurch (Pro Football Weekly), Louis Wright (UPI, Pro Football Weekly, The Sporting News). Hartman Award Winners: Craig Morton, Bob Swenson, Larry Canada.

1978 — Pro Bowl: Lyle Alzado, Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Riley Odoms, Bill Thompson, Rick Upchurch, Louis Wright. All-NFL: Lyle Alzado (AP), Randy Gradishar (AP, PFWA, PFW, NEA), Tom Jackson (AP), Rick Upchurch (AP, PFWA, PFW), Louis Wright (AP, PFWA, PFW, NEA). All-AFC: Lyle Alzado (UPI, PFW, TSN), Steve Foley (UPI), Randy Gradishar (UPI, PFW, TSN), Tom Jackson (UPI), Bill Thompson (UPI, PFW, TSN), Rick Upchurch (PFW), Louis Wright (UPI, PFW, TSN). NFL Defensive Player of the Year: Randy Gradishar (AP, PFW, NEA). AFC Defensive Player of the Year: Randy Gradishar (UPI, Kansas City 101 Club). Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Pro Athlete of the Year: Randy Gradishar. Hartman Award Winners: Riley Odoms, Randy Gradishar, Maurice Harvey.

1977 — Pro Bowl: Lyle Alzado, Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Billy Thompson, Louis Wright. All-NFL: Lyle Alzado (AP, UPI, PFW), Randy Gradishar (AP, UPI, PFW), Tom Jackson (AP, UPI, PFW), Billy Thompson (AP). All-AFC: Louis Wright (PFW), Billy Thompson (PFW). AFC Defensive Player of the Year: Lyle Alzado (Kansas City 101 Club). Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Pro Athlete of the Year: Craig Morton. Hartman Award Winners: Craig Morton, Tom Jackson, Rick Upchurch.

1976 — Pro Bowl: Rick Upchurch, Otis Armstrong. All-NFL: Rick Upchurch. Hartman Award Winners: Riley Odoms, Tom Jackson, Rick Upchurch.

1975 — Pro Bowl: Randy Gradishar, Riley Odoms. All-Pro: Riley Odoms. Hartman Award Winners: Bobby Maples, Lyle Alzado, Jim Turner.

1974 — Pro Bowl: Otis Armstrong, Riley Odoms. All-Pro: Riley Odoms, Otis Armstrong. Hartman Award Winners: Otis Armstrong, Tom Jackson, Ken Criter.

1973 — Pro Bowl: Floyd Little, Haven Moses, Paul Smith, Riley Odoms. All-Pro: Riley Odoms. Hartman Award Winners: Charley Johnson, Paul Smith. Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Pro Athlete of the Year: Paul Smith.

1972 — Pro Bowl: Floyd Little, Paul Smith. Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Pro Athlete of the Year: Floyd Little.

1971 — Pro Bowl: Floyd Little, Rich Jackson.

1970 — Pro Bowl: Rich Jackson. All-Pro: Rich Jackson. Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Pro Athlete of the Year: Rich Jackson.

1969 — All-AFL: Floyd Little, Rich Jackson. AFL All-Star Game: Rich Jackson, Al Denson, Mike Current, George Goeddeke, Floyd Little, Dave Costa.

1968 — All-AFL: Rich Jackson. AFL All-Star Game: Floyd Little, Dave Costa, Rich Jackson.

1967 — AFL All-Star Game: Al Denson, Larry Kaminski, Dave Costa, Nemiah Wilson.

1966 — All-AFL: Bob Scarpitto. AFL All-Star Game: Bob Scarpitto, Jerry Strum, Goose Gonsoulin, John Bramlett.

1965 — All-AFL: Cookie Gilchrist, Lionel Taylor, Eldon Dannenhauer. AFL All-Star Game: Eldon Dannenhauer, Cookie Gilchrist.

1964 — All-AFL: Willie Brown. AFL All-Star Game: Willie Brown, Jerry Strum, Goose Gonsoulin, Jim Fraser.

1963 — All-AFL: Goose Gonsoulin. AFL All-Star Game: Bud McFadin, Goose Gonsoulin.

1962 — All-AFL: Bud McFadin, Goose Gonsoulin, Eldon Dannenhauer, Bob Zeman. AFL All-Star Game: Eldon Dannenhauer, Bud McFadin, Gene Mingo, Bob Zeman, Goose Gonsoulin, Jim Fraser.

1961 — All-AFL: Lionel Taylor, Bud McFadin. AFL All-Star Game: Bud McFadin, Ken Adamson, Goose Gonsoulin, Don Stone.

1960 — All-AFL: Lionel Taylor, Bud McFadin, Goose Gonsoulin.

ALL-TIME SCORES

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS

1960

Coach: Frank Filchok		4-9-1	Attend.
13	At Boston	10	21,597
27	At Buffalo	21	15,229
24	At New York	28	20,462
31	Oakland	14	18,372
19	Los Angeles	23	19,141
31	Boston	24	12,683
14	Dallas	17	13,002
25	Houston	45	14,489
7	At Dallas	34	21,000
10	At Houston	20	20,778
38	Buffalo	38	7,785
27	New York	30	5,861
33	At Los Angeles	41	9,928
10	At Oakland	48	7,000

1961

Coach: Frank Filchok		3-11-0	Attend.
22	At Buffalo	10	16,636
17	At Boston	45	14,479
28	At New York	35	14,381
19	At Oakland	33	8,361
12	Dallas	19	14,500
27	Oakland	24	11,129
27	New York	10	12,508
0	At San Diego	37	32,584
14	Houston	55	11,564
16	San Diego	19	7,859
10	Buffalo	23	7,645
14	At Houston	45	27,874
24	Boston	28	9,303
21	At Dallas	49	8,000

1962

Coach: Jack Faulkner		7-7-0	Attend.
30	San Diego	21	28,000
23	At Buffalo	20	30,577
16	At Boston	41	21,038
32	At New York	10	17,213
44	Oakland	7	22,452
23	At Oakland	6	7,000
20	Houston	10	34,496
38	Buffalo	45	26,051
23	At San Diego	20	20,827
29	Boston	33	28,187
3	Dallas	24	23,523
45	New York	45	15,776
17	At Houston	34	30,650
10	At Dallas	17	19,137

1963

Coach: Jack Faulkner		2-11-1	Attend.
7	Kansas City	59	21,115
14	At Houston	20	23,047
14	Boston	10	18,636
50	San Diego	34	19,137
24	Houston	33	24,896
21	At Boston	40	25,418
35	At New York	35	22,553
28	Buffalo	30	19,424
17	At Buffalo	27	30,989
9	New York	14	14,247
10	Oakland	26	14,763
21	At Kansas City	52	17,433
31	At Oakland	35	15,223
20	At San Diego	58	31,312

1964

Coach: Jack Faulkner (4 games) and Mac Speedie (10 games)

		2-11-1	Attend.
6	At New York	30	45,665
13	At Buffalo	30	25,141
17	Houston	38	22,155
10	Boston	39	17,851
33	Kansas City	27	16,885
14	At San Diego	42	23,242
7	At Oakland	40	16,825
39	Kansas City	49	15,053
20	San Diego	31	19,670
20	New York	16	11,309
7	At Boston	12	24,979
20	Oakland	20	15,958
19	Buffalo	30	14,431
15	At Houston	34	15,839

1965

Coach: Mac Speedie 4-10-0 Attend.

		4-10-0	Attend.
31	At San Diego	34	27,022
15	Buffalo	30	30,656
27	At Boston	10	26,782
16	New York	13	34,988
23	Kansas City	31	31,001
28	Houston	17	32,492
13	At Buffalo	31	45,046
10	At New York	45	55,572
21	San Diego	35	33,073
31	At Houston	21	28,126
20	Oakland	28	30,369
13	At Oakland	24	19,023
20	Boston	28	27,207
35	At Kansas City	45	14,421

1966

Coach: Mac Speedie (2 games) and Ray Malavasi (12 games)

		4-10-0	Attend.
7	At Houston	45	30,156
10	Boston	24	25,160
7	New York	16	28,770
40	Houston	38	27,203
10	At Kansas City	37	33,929
7	At Miami	24	23,393
10	Kansas City	56	26,196
17	At San Diego	24	25,819
17	At Boston	10	18,154
3	Oakland	17	26,703
20	San Diego	17	24,860
17	Miami	7	33,306
10	At Oakland	28	31,765
21	At Buffalo	38	40,583

1967

Coach: Lou Saban 3-11-0 Attend.

		3-11-0	Attend.
26	Boston	21	35,488
0	At Oakland	51	25,423
21	At Miami	35	29,381
24	New York	38	35,565
6	At Houston	10	21,798
16	Buffalo	17	35,188
21	San Diego	33	34,465
9	At Kansas City	52	44,002
17	Oakland	21	29,043
18	Houston	20	30,392
21	At Buffalo	20	30,891
20	At San Diego	24	34,586
33	At New York	24	61,615
24	Kansas City	38	31,660

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS

1968

Coach: Lou Saban			5-9-0	Attend.
10	At Cincinnati	24	25.049	
2	At Kansas City	34	45.821	
17	Boston	20	37.024	
10	Cincinnati	7	41.257	
21	At New York	13	62.052	
24	At San Diego	55	42.953	
21	Miami	14	44.115	
35	At Boston	14	18.304	
7	Oakland	43	50.002	
17	At Houston	38	36.075	
34	Buffalo	32	35.201	
23	San Diego	47	35.312	
27	At Oakland	33	47.754	
7	Kansas City	30	38.463	

1969

Coach: Lou Saban			5-8-1	Attend.
26	Boston	21	35.488	
21	New York	19	50.583	
28	At Buffalo	41	40.302	
13	Kansas City	26	50.564	
14	Oakland	24	49.511	
30	At Cincinnati	23	27.920	
21	At Houston	24	45.348	
13	San Diego	0	45.511	
10	At Oakland	41	54.416	
20	Houston	20	45.002	
24	At San Diego	45	34.664	
17	At Kansas City	31	48.773	
24	At Miami	27	25.332	
27	Cincinnati	16	42.196	

1970

Coach: Lou Saban			5-8-1	Attend.
25	At Buffalo	10	34.882	
16	Pittsburgh	13	50.705	
26	Kansas City	13	50.705	
23	At Oakland	35	54.436	
24	Atlanta	10	50.705	
14	At San Francisco	19	39.515	
3	Washington	19	50.705	
21	At San Diego	24	48.327	
19	Oakland	24	50.959	
31	At New Orleans	6	66.837	
21	At Houston	31	35.733	
0	At Kansas City	16	50.454	
17	San Diego	17	50.959	
13	Cleveland	27	51.001	

1971

Coach: Lou Saban (9 games) and Jerry Smith (5 games)			4-9-1	Attend.
10	Miami	10	51.200	
13	At G. Bay (Milw.)	34	47.957	
3	Kansas City	16	51.200	
16	Oakland	27	51.200	
20	San Diego	16	51.200	
27	At Cleveland	0	75.674	
16	At Philadelphia	17	65.358	
20	Detroit	24	51.200	
10	Cincinnati	24	51.200	
10	At Kansas City	28	49.945	
22	At Pittsburgh	10	39.710	
6	Chicago	3	51.200	
17	At San Diego	45	44.347	
13	At Oakland	21	54.651	

1972

Coach: John Ralston			5-9-0	Attend.
30	Houston	17	51.656	
14	At San Diego	37	49.048	
24	Kansas City	45	51.656	
10	At Cincinnati	21	55.812	
20	Minnesota	23	51.656	
30	At Oakland	23	53.551	
20	Cleveland	27	51.656	
17	At N.Y. Giants	29	62.689	
16	At Los Angeles	10	65.398	
20	Oakland	37	51.656	
20	At Atlanta	23	58.850	
21	At Kansas City	24	66.725	
38	San Diego	13	51.473	
45	New England	21	51.656	

1973

Coach: John Ralston			7-5-2	Attend.
28	Cincinnati	10	49.059	
34	San Francisco	36	50.966	
14	Chicago	33	51.159	
14	At Kansas City	16	71.414	
48	At Houston	20	32.801	
23	Oakland	23	51.270	
40	At N.Y. Jets	28	55.108	
17	At St. Louis	17	46.567	
30	San Diego	19	51.034	
23	At Pittsburgh	13	48.580	
14	Kansas City	10	51.331	
10	Dallas	22	51.508	
42	At San Diego	28	44.954	
17	At Oakland	21	51.910	

1974

Coach: John Ralston			7-6-1	Attend.
10	Los Angeles	17	51.121	
35	Pittsburgh (OT)	35	51.068	
3	At Washington	30	54.395	
17	At Kansas City	14	67.298	
33	New Orleans	17	50.881	
27	San Diego	7	50.928	
21	At Cleveland	23	60.478	
17	Oakland	28	45.946	
17	At Baltimore	6	33.244	
34	Kansas City	42	50.236	
20	At Oakland	17	51.224	
31	At Detroit	27	51.157	
37	Houston	14	47.142	
0	At San Diego	17	36.571	

1975

Coach: John Ralston			6-8-0	Attend.
37	Kansas City	33	51.858	
23	Green Bay	13	51.621	
14	At Buffalo	38	79.864	
9	At Pittsburgh	20	49.164	
16	Cleveland	15	52.590	
13	At Kansas City	26	70.043	
17	Oakland	42	5.505	
16	Cincinnati	17	49.919	
27	At San Diego	17	26.048	
21	At Atlanta	35	28.686	
13	San Diego (OT)	10	46.802	
10	At Oakland	17	51.075	
25	Philadelphia	10	37.080	
13	At Miami	14	43.064	

1976

Coach: John Ralston			9-5-0	Attend.
7	At Cincinnati	17	53.464	
46	New York Jets	3	62.669	
44	Cleveland	13	62.975	
26	San Diego	0	63.369	
3	At Houston	17	47.928	
10	Oakland	17	63.431	
35	At Kansas City	26	57.961	
6	At Oakland	19	52.169	
48	Tampa Bay	13	62.703	
17	At San Diego	0	32.017	
14	New York Giants	13	63.151	
14	At New England	38	61.128	
17	Kansas City	16	58.170	
28	At Chicago	14	44.459	

REGULAR SEASON RESULTS

1977

Coach: Red Miller		12-2-0	Attend.
7	St Louis	0	75,002
26	Buffalo	6	74,897
24	At Seattle	13	53,108
23	Kansas City	7	74,878
30	At Oakland	7	53,616
24	At Cincinnati	13	54,305
14	Oakland	24	75,007
21	Pittsburgh	7	74,967
17	At San Diego	14	45,211
14	At Kansas City	7	54,050
27	Baltimore	13	74,939
24	At Houston	14	46,875
17	San Diego	9	74,905
6	At Dallas	14	63,752
Playoffs			
34	Pittsburgh	21	75,011
20	Oakland	17	74,982
Super Bowl			
10	Dallas	27	76,400

1978

Coach: Red Miller		10-6-0	Attend.
14	Oakland	6	74,904
9	At Minnesota (OT)	12	46,508
27	San Diego	14	74,983
23	At Kansas City (OT)	17	60,593
28	Seattle	7	74,989
0	At San Diego	23	50,077
16	Chicago	7	75,008
6	At Baltimore	7	54,057
20	At Seattle (OT)	17	62,948
28	New York Jets	31	74,983
19	At Cleveland	7	70,856
16	Green Bay	3	74,965
14	At Detroit	17	71,785
21	At Oakland	6	53,932
24	Kansas City	3	74,149
17	Pittsburgh	21	74,104
Playoffs			
10	At Pittsburgh	33	48,921

1979

Coach: Red Miller		10-6-0	Attend.
10	Cincinnati	0	74,788
9	Los Angeles	13	74,884
20	At Atlanta (OT)	17	57,677
37	Seattle	34	74,897
3	At Oakland	27	52,632
7	San Diego	0	74,997
24	At Kansas City	10	74,292
7	At Pittsburgh	42	49,699
20	Kansas City	3	74,908
10	New Orleans	3	74,482
45	New England	10	74,379
38	At San Francisco	28	42,910
18	Oakland	14	74,186
19	At Buffalo	16	37,886
23	At Seattle	28	60,038
7	At San Diego	17	51,906
Playoffs			
7	At Houston	13	48,776

1980

Coach: Red Miller		8-8-0	Attend.
6	at Philadelphia	27	70,307
41	Dallas	20	74,919
13	San Diego	30	74,970
14	at New England	23	59,602
19	at Cleveland	16	81,065
20	Washington	17	74,657
17	Kansas City	23	74,459
14	at N.Y. Giants	9	67,598
16	Houston	20	74,717
20	at San Diego	13	51,435
31	New York Jets	24	72,114
36	Seattle	20	73,274
3	at Oakland	9	51,583
14	at Kansas City	31	40,237
21	Oakland	24	73,974
25	at Seattle	17	51,853

ALL-TIME PRE-SEASON RESULTS

1960 (0-5)

6	Boston 43 (Providence, R.I.)
14	Buffalo 31 (Rochester)
3	At Houston 42
0	Dallas 48 (Little Rock)
30	At Los Angeles 36

1964 (2-3)

20	At San Diego 34
7	Oakland 20
32	At Houston 20
10	Kansas City 14 (Ft. Worth)
28	Boston 17

1961 (1-4)

13	At Dallas 31 (Midland, Tex.)
48	At Oakland 21 (Spokane)
27	At Dallas 29 (Ft. Worth)
10	Houston 42 (Mobile)
12	At Oakland 49

1965 (1-4)

24	Kansas City 30
27	Oakland 17 (Salt Lake City)
6	San Diego 21
3	Houston 25 (San Antonio)
20	Oakland 30 (Saramento)

1962 (2-2)

17	Houston 33 (Atlanta)
24	At San Diego 31
27	At Dallas 24
41	At Oakland 12 (Stockton, Calif.)

1966 (1-3)

30	Kansas City 32
3	At Buffalo 25
28	Miami 16 (Memphis)
21	Oakland 52

1963 (2-3)

27	Houston 10
10	At Oakland 35
31	San Diego 25
16	At Kansas City 30
14	Buffalo 21 (Winston-Salem)

1967 (3-1)

2	Miami 19 (Akron)
13	Detroit 7
14	Minnesota 9
21	Oakland 17 (N. Platte, Neb.)

ALL-TIME PRE-SEASON RESULTS (Continued)

1968 (2-3)

- 15 Cincinnati 13
- 16 Minnesota 39
- 6 San Francisco 22
- 6 San Diego 3 (San Antonio)
- 7 Oakland 23 (Portland)

1969 (1-4)

- 6 At Minnesota 26
- 22 New Orleans 28
- 19 San Francisco 15
- 10 Boston 26 (Jacksonville)
- 11 At Cincinnati 13

1970 (3-2)

- 26 St. Louis 16
- 7 Baltimore 24
- 7 S. Francisco 23 (Eugene, Ore.)
- 30 Chicago 17
- 16 Boston 14 (Salt Lake City)

1971 (1-4)

- 13 Washington 17
- 10 Atlanta 27 (Memphis)
- 17 San Francisco 33 (Spokane)
- 14 Minnesota 7
- 17 At Chicago 33

1972 (2-3)

- 0 At Washington 41
- 13 At St. Louis 17
- 27 At San Francisco 24
- 49 New England 24
- 13 Baltimore 20

1973 (2-3)

- 10 At Washington 14
- 38 St. Louis 17
- 7 At San Francisco 43
- 16 Buffalo 14
- 10 Baltimore 17

1974 (4-2)

- 19 New York Jets 41
- 27 Minnesota 21
- 10 At San Francisco 3
- 31 At Green Bay 21
- 27 New England 21 (At Spokane)
- 14 Atlanta 20

1975 (3-3)

- 20 Baltimore 23
- 21 At New Orleans 24
- 27 Houston 21
- 13 At Chicago 0
- 10 At San Francisco 44
- 21 St. Louis 17

1976 (5-2)

- 10 Detroit 7 (Hall of Fame Game at Canton, Ohio)
- 14 Chicago 15
- 7 At San Francisco 17
- 13 At Dallas 9
- 52 Seattle 7
- 21 At St. Louis 17
- 30 Minnesota 17

1977 (5-1)

- 14 Baltimore 8
- 15 St. Louis 7
- 10 At Atlanta 2
- 24 At Philadelphia 28
- 27 At Seattle 10
- 20 At San Francisco 0

1978 (2-2)

- 17 At Houston 12
- 14 Dallas 21
- 23 At Buffalo 13
- 13 San Francisco 24

1979

- 6 At Dallas 7
- 13 Washington 6
- 21 At San Francisco 0
- 20 New England 17 (OT)

1980 (2-2)

- 17 Cincinnati 6
- 6 at New York Giants 9
- 13 Los Angeles 26
- 38 at Green Bay 0

REGULAR SEASON SERIES RECORDS

ATLANTA FALCONS

- 1970—At Den 24, Atl 10
- 1972—At Atl 23, Den 20
- 1975—At Atl 35, Den 21
- 1979—Den 20, At Atl 17 (OT)
(Broncos 2, Falcons 2)

BALTIMORE COLTS

- 1974—Den 17, At Bal 6
- 1977—At Den 27, Bal 13
- 1978—At Bal 7, Den 6
(Broncos 2, Colts 1)

BUFFALO BILLS

- 1960—Den 27, At Buf 21
- 1960—At Den 38, Buf 38 (tie)
- 1961—Den 22, At Buf 10
- 1961—Buf 23, At Den 10
- 1962—Den 23, At Buf 20
- 1962—Buf 45, At Den 38
- 1963—Buf 30, At Den 28
- 1963—At Buf 27, Den 17
- 1964—At Buf 30, Den 13
- 1964—Buf 30, At Den 19
- 1965—Buf 30, At Den 15
- 1965—At Buf 31, Den 13
- 1966—At Buf 38, Den 21
- 1967—Buf 17, At Den 16
- 1967—Den 21, At Buf 20
- 1968—At Den 34, Buf 32
- 1969—At Buf 41, Den 28
- 1970—Den 25, At Buf 10
- 1975—At Buf 38, Den 14
- 1977—At Den 26, Buf 6
- 1979—Den 19, At Buf 16
(Broncos 8, Bills 12, 1 tie)

SERIES RECORDS (CONTINUED)

CHICAGO BEARS

1971—At Den 6, Chi 3
1973—Chi 33, At Den 14
1976—Den 28, At Chi 14
1978—At Den 16, Chi 7
(Broncos 3, Bears 1)

CINCINNATI BENGALS

1968—At Cin 24, Den 10
1968—At Den 10, Cin 7
1969—Den 30, At Cin 23
1969—At Den 27, Cin 16
1971—Cin 24, At Den 10
1972—At Cin 21, Den 10
1973—At Den 28, Cin 10
1975—Cin 17, At Den 16
1976—At Cin 17, Den 7
1977—Den 24, At Cin 13
1979—At Den 10, Cin 0
(Broncos 6, Bengals 5)

CLEVELAND BROWNS

1970—Cle 27, At Den 13
1971—Den 27, At Cle 0
1972—Cle 27, At Den 20
1974—At Cle 23, Den 21
1975—At Den 16, Cle 15
1976—At Den 44, Cle 13
1978—Den 19, At Cle 7
1980—Den 19, At Cle 16
(Broncos 5, Browns 3)

DALLAS COWBOYS

1973—Dal 22, At Den 10
1977—At Dal 14, Den 6
1980—At Den 41, Dal 20
(Broncos 1, Cowboys 2)

DETROIT LIONS

1971—Det 24, At Den 20
1974—Den 31, At Det 27
1978—At Det 17, Den 14
(Broncos 1, Lions 2)

GREEN BAY PACKERS

1971—At GB 34, Den 13
1975—At Den 23, GB 13
1978—At Den 16, GB 3
(Broncos 2, Packers 1)

HOUSTON OILERS

1960—Hou 45, At Den 25
1960—At Hou 20, Den 10
1961—Hou 55, At Den 14
1961—At Hou 45, Den 14
1962—At Den 20, Hou 10
1962—At Hou 34, Den 17
1963—At Hou 20, Den 14
1963—Hou 33, At Den 24
1964—Hou 38, At Den 17
1964—At Hou 34, Den 15
1965—At Den 28, Hou 17
1965—Den 31, At Hou 21
1966—At Hou 45, Den 7
1966—At Den 40, Hou 38
1967—At Hou 10, Den 6
1967—Hou 20, At Den 18
1968—At Hou 38, Den 17
1969—At Hou 24, Den 21
1969—At Den 20, Hou 20
1970—At Hou 31, Den 21
1972—At Den 30, Hou 17
1973—Den 48, At Hou 20
1974—At Den 37, Hou 14
1976—At Hou 17, Den 3
1977—Den 24, At Hou 14

1980—Hou 20, At Den 16
(Broncos 8, Oilers 17, 1 tie)

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS (Dallas Texans 1960-62)

1960—Dal 17, At Den 14
1960—At Dal 34, Den 7
1961—Dal 19, At Den 12
1961—At Dal 49, Den 21
1962—Dal 24, At Den 3
1962—At Dal 17, Den 10
1963—KC 59, At Den 7
1963—At KC 52, Den 21
1964—At Den 33, KC 27
1964—At KC 49, Den 39
1965—KC 31, At Den 23
1965—At KC 45, Den 35
1966—At KC 37, Den 10
1966—KC 56, At Den 10
1967—At KC 52, Den 9
1967—KC 38, At Den 24
1968—At KC 34, Den 2
1968—KC 30, At Den 7
1969—KC 26, At Den 13
1969—At KC 31, Den 17
1970—At Den 26, KC 13
1970—At KC 16, Den 0
1971—KC 16, At Den 3
1971—At KC 28, Den 10
1972—KC 45, At Den 24
1972—At KC 24, Den 21
1973—At KC 16, Den 14
1973—At Den 14, KC 10
1974—Den 17, At KC 14
1974—KC 42, At Den 34
1975—At Den 37, KC 33
1975—At KC 26, Den 13
1976—Den 35, At KC 26
1976—At Den 17, KC 16
1977—At Den 23, KC 7
1977—Den 14, At KC 7
1978—Den 23, At KC 17 (OT)
1978—At Den 24, KC 3
1979—Den 24, At KC 10
1979—At Den 20, KC 3
1980—KC 23, At Den 17
1980—At KC 31, Den 14
(Broncos 13, Chiefs 29)

LOS ANGELES RAMS

1972—Den 16, At LA 10
1974—LA 17, At Den 10
1979—LA 13, At Den 9
(Broncos 1, Rams 2)

MIAMI DOLPHINS

1966—At Mia 24, Den 7
1966—At Den 17, Mia 7
1967—At Mia 35, Den 21
1968—At Den 21, Mia 14
1969—At Mia 27, Den 24
1971—At Den 10, Mia 10
1975—At Mia 14, Den 13
(Broncos 2, Dolphins 4, 1 tie)

MINNESOTA VIKINGS

1972—Min 23, At Den 20
1978—At Min 12, Den 9 (OT)
(Broncos 0, Vikings 2)

SERIES RECORD (CONTINUED)

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (Boston Patriots 1960-70)

1960—Den 13, At Bos 10
1960—At Den 31, Bos 24
1961—At Bos 45, Den 17
1961—Bos 28, At Den 24
1962—At Bos 41, Den 16
1962—Bos 33, At Den 29
1963—At Den 14, Bos 10
1963—At Bos 40, Den 21
1964—Bos 39, At Den 10
1964—At Bos 12, Den 7
1965—Den 27, At Bos 10
1965—Bos 28, At Den 20
1966—Bos 24, At Den 10
1966—Den 17, At Bos 10
1967—At Den 26, Bos 21
1968—Bos 20, At Den 17
1968—Den 35, At Bos 14
1969—At Den 35, Bos 7
1972—At Den 45, NE 21
1976—At NE 38, Den 14
1979—At Den 45, NE 10
1980—At NE 23, Den 14
(Broncos 10, Patriots 12)

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS

1970—Den 31, At NO 6
1974—At Den 33, NO 17
1979—At Den 10, NO 3
(Broncos 3, Saints 0)

NEW YORK GIANTS

1972—At NY 29, Den 17
1976—At Den 14, NY 13
1980—Den 14, At NY 9
(Broncos 2, Giants 1)

NEW YORK JETS (New York Titans 1960-62)

1960—At NY 28, Den 24
1960—NY 30, At Den 27
1961—At NY 35, Den 28
1961—At Den 27, NY 10
1962—Den 32, At NY 10
1962—NY 46, At Den 45
1963—Den 35, NY 35
1963—NY 14, At Den 9
1964—At NY 30, Den 6
1964—At Den 20, NY 16
1965—At Den 16, NY 13
1965—At NY 45, Den 10
1966—NY 16, At Den 7
1967—NY 38, At Den 24
1967—Den 33, At NY 24
1968—Den 21, At NY 13
1969—At Den 21, NY 19
1973—Den 40, At NY 28
1976—At Den 46, NY 3
1978—NY 31, At Den 28
1980—At Den 31, NY 24
(Broncos 10, Jets 10, 1 tie)

OAKLAND RAIDERS

1960—At Den 31, Oak 14
1960—At Oak 48, Den 10
1961—At Oak 33, Den 19
1961—At Den 27, Oak 24
1962—At Den 44, Oak 7
1962—Den 23, At Oak 6
1963—Oak 26, At Den 10
1963—At Oak 35, Den 31
1964—At Oak 40, Den 7
1964—At Den 20, Oak 20
1965—Oak 28, At Den 20
1965—At Oak 24, Den 13
1966—Oak 17, At Den 3
1966—At Oak 28, Den 10
1967—At Oak 51, Den 0
1967—Oak 21, At Den 17
1968—Oak 43, At Den 7
1968—At Oak 33, Den 27
1969—Oak 24, At Den 14
1969—At Oak 41, Den 10
1970—At Oak 35, Den 23
1970—Oak 24, At Den 19
1971—Oak 27, At Den 16
1971—At Oak 21, Den 13
1972—Den 30, At Oak 23
1972—Oak 37, At Den 20
1973—At Den 23, Oak 23
1973—At Oak 21, Den 17
1974—Oak 28, At Den 17
1974—Den 20, At Oak 17
1975—Oak 42, At Den 17
1975—At Oak 17, Den 10
1976—Oak 17, At Den 10
1976—At Oak 19, Den 3
1977—Den 30, At Oak 7
1977—Oak 24, At Den 14
1978—At Den 14, Oak 6
1978—Den 21, At Oak 6
1979—At Oak 27, Den 3
1979—Oak 14, At Den 10
1980—Den 3, At Oak 9
1980—Oak 24, At Den 21
(Broncos 9, Raiders 31, 2 ties)

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES

1971—At Phi 17, Den 16
1975—At Den 25, Phi 10
1980—At Phi 27, Den 6
(Broncos 1, Eagles 2)

PITTSBURGH STEELERS

1970—At Den 16, Pit 13
1971—Den 22, At Pit 10
1973—Den 23, At Pit 13
1974—At Den 35, Pit 35 (OT)
1975—At Pit 20, Den 9
1977—At Den 21, Pit 7
1978—Pit 21, At Den 17
1979—At Pit 42, Den 7
(Broncos 4, Steelers 3, 1 tie)

SERIES RECORD (CONTINUED)

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS (Los Angeles Chargers 1960)

1960—LA 23, At Den 19
1960—At LA 41, Den 33
1961—At SD 37, Den 0
1961—SD 19, At Den 16
1962—At Den 30, SD 21
1962—Den 23, At SD 20
1963—At Den 50, SD 34
1963—At SD 58, Den 20
1964—At SD 42, Den 14
1964—SD 31, At Den 20
1965—At SD 34, Den 31
1965—SD 35, At Den 21
1966—At SD 24, Den 17
1966—At Den 20, SD 17
1967—SD 38, At Den 21
1967—At SD 24, Den 20
1968—At SD 55, Den 24
1968—SD 47, At Den 23
1969—At Den 13, SD 0
1969—At SD 45, Den 24
1970—At SD 24, Den 21
1970—At Den 17, SD 17
1971—At Den 20, SD 16
1971—At SD 45, Den 17
1972—At SD 37, Den 14
1972—At Den 38, SD 13
1973—At Den 30, SD 19
1973—Den 42, At SD 28
1974—At Den 27, SD 7
1974—At SD 17, Den 0
1975—Den 27, At SD 17
1975—At Den 13, SD 10 (OT)
1976—At Den 26, SD 0
1976—Den 17, At SD 0
1977—Den 14, At SD 10
1977—Den 17, At SD 14
1977—At Den 17, SD 9
1978—At Den 27, SD 14
1978—At SD 23, Den 0
1979—At Den 7, SD 0
1979—At SD 17, Den 7
1980—SD 30, At Den 13
1980—Den 20, At SD 13
(Broncos 19, Chargers 22, 1 tie)

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS

1970—At SF 19, Den 14
1973—SF 36, At Den 34
1979—Den 38, At SF 28
(Broncos 1, 49ers 2)

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS

1977—Den 24, At Sea 13
1978—At Den 28, Sea 7
1978—Den 20, At Sea 17 (OT)
1979—At Den 37, Sea 34
1979—At Sea 28, Den 23
1980—At Den 36, Sea 20
1980—Den 25, At Sea 17
(Broncos 6, Seahawks 1)

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS

1973—Den 17, At SL 17
1977—At Den 7, SL 0
(Broncos 1, Cardinals 0, 1 tie)

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS

1976—At Den 48, TB 13
(Broncos 1, Buccaneers 0)

WASHINGTON REDSKINS

1970—Was 19, At Den 3
1974—At Was 30, Den 3
1980—At Den 20, Was 17
(Broncos 1, Redskins 2)



BRONCOS COACHING HISTORY

BRONCO COACHING RECORDS

Season	Coach	Record	
1960	Frank Filchock	4-9-1	
1961	Frank Filchock	3-11-0	
	Filchock's totals	7-20-1	.268
1962	Jack Faulkner	7-7-0	
1963	Jack Faulkner	2-11-1	
1964	Jack Faulkner	0-4-0	
	Faulkner's totals	9-22-1	.297
1964	Mac Speedie	2-7-1	
1965	Mac Speedie	4-10-0	
1966	Mac Speedie	0-2-0	
	Speedie's totals	6-19-1	.250
1966	Ray Malavasi	4-8-0	
	Malavasi's totals	4-8-0	.333
1967	Lou Saban	3-11-0	
1968	Lou Saban	5-9-0	
1969	Lou Saban	5-8-1	
1970	Lou Saban	5-8-1	
1971	Lou Saban	2-6-1	
	Saban's totals	20-42-3	.331
1971	Jerry Smith	2-3-0	
	Smith's totals	2-3-0	.400
1972	John Ralston	5-9-0	
1973	John Ralston	7-5-2	
1974	John Ralston	7-6-1	
1975	John Ralston	6-8-0	
1976	John Ralston	9-5-0	
	Ralston's totals	34-33-3	.507
1977	Red Miller	12-2-0	
	Playoffs	2-1-0	
1978	Red Miller	10-6-0	
	Playoffs	0-1-0	
1979	Red Miller	10-6-0	
	Playoffs	0-1-0	
1980	Red Miller	8-8-0	
	Miller's totals	40-22-0	.645
		42-25-0	.627

ASSISTANT COACH ROSTER

Marv Braden 1977-1980; Ken Carpenter 1961; Jim Cason 1960; Max Coley 1972-1976; Joe Collier 1969-1980; Dick Coury 1972-1973; Kay Dalton 1974-1976; George Dickson 1964-1965; Dale Dodrill 1960-1963, 1966; Whitey Dovell 1967-1971, 1979-1980; Rod Dowhower 1980; Hunter Enis 1967-1971; Jerry Frei 1972-1975; Bob Gambold 1972-1977; Mike Giddings 1976; Gary Glick 1962; Ken Gray 1977-1978; Bob Griffin 1966; Ed Hughes 1963; Charley Johnson 1976; Stan Jones 1967-1971, 1976-1980; Dick MacPherson 1967-1970; Ray Malavasi 1964-1966; Jim Martin 1962; Marv Matusak 1966; Richie McCabe 1978-1980; Bus Mertes 1965-1966; Bob Miller 1963-1965; Myrel Moore 1972-1977; Babe Parilli 1977-1979; Fran Polsfoot 1977-1980; Paul Roach 1977-1980; Sam Rutigliano 1967-1970; Jerry Smith 1971; Mac Speedie 1962-1964; Doc Urich 1972-1976; Bob Zeman 1978-1980.

ATTENDANCE MARKS

BRONCOS LARGEST CROWDS

At Home — Mile High Stadium

75,011	vs. Pittsburgh (Playoffs)	Dec. 24, 1977
75,008	vs. Chicago	Oct. 16, 1978
75,007	vs. Oakland	Oct. 30, 1977
75,002	vs. St. Louis	Sept. 18, 1977
74,997	vs. San Diego	Oct. 7, 1979
74,989	vs. Seattle	Oct. 1, 1978
74,983	vs. San Diego	Sept. 17, 1978
74,983	vs. New York Jets	Nov. 5, 1978
74,982	vs. Oakland (Playoffs)	Jan. 1, 1978
74,970	vs. San Diego	Sept. 21, 1981
74,967	vs. Pittsburgh	Nov. 6, 1977
74,965	vs. Green Bay	Nov. 19, 1978
74,939	vs. Baltimore	Nov. 27, 1977
74,919	vs. Dallas	Sept. 14, 1981
74,908	vs. Kansas City	Oct. 28, 1979
74,905	vs. San Diego	Dec. 11, 1977
74,904	vs. Oakland	Sept. 3, 1978
74,897	vs. Seattle	Sept. 23, 1979
74,897	vs. Buffalo	Sept. 25, 1977
74,884	vs. Los Angeles	Sept. 6, 1979
74,878	vs. Kansas City	Oct. 9, 1977

On the Road

81,065	at Cleveland	Oct. 5, 1981
79,864	at Buffalo	Oct. 5, 1975
76,400	at New Orleans (Super Bowl XII)	Jan. 15, 1978
75,674	at Cleveland	Oct. 24, 1971
74,292	at Kansas City	Oct. 14, 1979
71,785	at Detroit	Nov. 23, 1978
71,414	at Kansas City	Oct. 7, 1973
70,856	at Cleveland	Nov. 12, 1978
70,307	at Philadelphia	Sept. 7, 1981
70,043	at Kansas City	Oct. 26, 1975
67,598	at New York Giants	Oct. 26, 1981
67,298	at Kansas City	Oct. 6, 1974
66,837	at New Orleans	Nov. 22, 1970
66,725	at Kansas City	Dec. 3, 1972
65,398	at Los Angeles	Nov. 12, 1972
65,358	at Philadelphia	Oct. 31, 1971

ATTENDANCE BY SEASON

Year	Home	Road	Total
1960	91,333	115,994	207,327
1961	74,508	122,315	196,823
1962	178,485	146,442	324,927
1963	132,218	165,995	298,213
1964	118,259	166,744	285,003
1965	219,786	215,992	435,778
1966	192,198	203,799	395,997
1967	231,801	247,696	479,497
1968	281,374	278,008	559,382
1969	326,851	276,755	603,606
1970	355,739	330,184	685,923
1971	358,400	377,642	736,042
1972	361,414	412,073	773,487
1973	356,327	351,334	707,661
1974	347,322	354,367	701,689
1975	342,375	347,944	690,319
1976	436,468	349,126	785,594
1977	524,595	370,917	895,512
1978	*598,085	470,756	*1,068,841
1979	597,521	427,040	1,024,561
1980	593,084	*473,680	1,066,764
Totals	6,718,143	6,204,803	12,922,946

*Bronco records

ATTENDANCE (CONTINUED)

SEASON TICKET SALES

1960 — 2,675	*1971 — 47,500
1961 — 5,775	*1972 — 48,000
1962 — 5,042	*1973 — 48,000
1963 — 7,624	*1974 — 49,000
1964 — 8,002	*1975 — 49,000
1965 — 22,905	*1976 — 62,215
1966 — 18,898	*1977 — 73,089
1967 — 24,650	*1978 — 73,092
1968 — 27,348	*1979 — 73,313
1969 — 31,936	*1980 — 73,298
1970 — 43,580	*1981 —

*Season tickets sold out. Since and including the 1970 season, every Bronco game at Mile High Stadium has been a sellout, giving the Broncos 80 consecutive sellouts in the regular season through the final game of the 1980 season.

BRONCOS STATISTICAL HISTORY

OFFENSE YEAR-BY-YEAR

	Total Plays	First Downs	Rush Yards	Pass Yards	Total Yards	Total Points
1960	958	248	1195	3247	4442	309
1961	934	219	1091	2720	3811	251
1962	885	270	1298	3404	4702	353
1963	832	230	1508	2487	3995	301
1964	905	211	1311	2021	3332	240
1965	959	255	1829	2640	4469	303
1966	816	171	1173	1995	3168	196
1967	852	172	1265	1682	2947	256
1968	897	217	1614	2357	3971	255
1969	841	243	1637	2524	4161	297
1970	883	217	1802	2025	3827	253
1971	891	217	2093	2065	4158	203
1972	831	237	1838	2634	4472	325
1973	893	253	1954	2519	4473	354
1974	861	258	2157	2328	4485	302
1975	964	268	1993	2541	4534	254
1976	901	239	1932	2204	4136	315
1977	887	223	2043	1863	3906	274
1978	1039	294	2451	2378	4829	282
1979	1044	306	2040	3102	5142	289
1980	992	286	1865	2777	4642	310

DEFENSE YEAR-BY-YEAR

	Total Plays	First Downs	Rush Yards	Pass Yards	Total Yards	Total Points
1960	927	254	2145	2987	5132	393
1961	899	233	1633	2785	4418	432
1962	862	234	1868	2670	4538	332
1963	828	254	1687	3394	5081	473
1964	902	270	2064	2906	4970	438
1965	850	244	1337	2960	4297	392
1966	871	251	2029	2515	4544	381
1967	921	276	2076	3125	5201	409
1968	916	251	1861	3163	5024	404
1969	918	278	1709	2932	4641	344
1970	838	199	1351	2354	3705	264
1971	825	206	1834	1985	3819	275
1972	876	251	1668	2183	3851	350
1973	872	239	1795	2440	4235	296
1974	945	265	1808	2583	4391	294
1975	901	247	1974	2032	4006	307
1976	903	222	1709	2026	3735	206
1977	941	217	1530	2244	3774	148
1978	1016	251	1979	2469	4448	198
1979	1033	273	1693	3159	4852	262
1980	1043	303	2117	3125	5242	323

YEARLY LEADERS (CONTINUED)

Rushing

	Yards	Attempts	Average	TDs
1960	Rolle—501	Rolle—130	Mingo—3.9	Mingo—4
1961	Stone—505	Stone—127	Stone—4.0	Bukaty—5
1962	Stone—360	Stone—94	Stone—3.8	Mingo—4
1963	Joe—649	Joe—154	Joe—4.2	Joe—4
1964	Mitchell—590	Mitchell—177	Joe—3.7	Mitchell—5
1965	Gilchrist—954	Gilchrist—252	Hayes—4.1	Gilchrist—6
1966	Hayes—411	Haynes—129	Hayes—3.9	Haynes—2
				Choboian—2
1967	Little—381	Little—130	Mitchell—3.8	Hickey—4
				Hayes—4
1968	Little—584	Little—158	Little—3.7	Lynch—4
1969	Little—729	Little—146	Little—5.0	Little—6
1970	Little—901	Little—209	Anderson—4.4	Crenshaw—5
1971	Little—1133	Little—284	Dawkins—4.4	Little—6
1972	Little—859	Little—216	Anderson—4.4	Little—9
1973	Little—979	Little—256	Dawkins—4.4	Little—12
1974	Armstrong—1407	Armstrong—263	Armstrong—5.3	Keyworth—10
1975	Keyworth—725	Keyworth—182	Keyworth—4.0	Keyworth—3
				Lynch—3
1976	Armstrong—1008	Armstrong—247	Armstrong—4.1	Armstrong—5
1977	Armstrong—489	Armstrong—130	Perrin—4.1	Armstrong—4
1978	Perrin—455	Armstrong—112	Canada—4.6	Perrin—4
		Keyworth—112		
1979	Armstrong—453	Armstrong—108	Armstrong—4.2	Lytle—4
1980	Jensen—476	Preston—111	Jensen—4.7	Armstrong—4
				Preston—4

Passing

	Yards	Attempts	Completions
1960	Tripucka—3038	Tripucka—478	Tripucka—248
1961	Tripucka—1690	Tripucka—344	Tripucka—167
1962	Tripucka—2917	Tripucka—440	Tripucka—240
1963	Slaughter—1689	Slaughter—223	Slaughter—112
1964	Lee—1611	Lee—265	Lee—133
1965	McCormick—1292	McCormick—253	McCormick—103
1966	Choboian—1110	McCormick—193	Choboian—82
1967	Tensi—1915	Tensi—325	Tensi—131
1968	Briscoe—1589	Briscoe—224	Briscoe—93
1969	Tensi—1990	Tensi—286	Tensi—131
1970	Liske—1340	Liske—238	Liske—112
1971	Ramsey—1120	Ramsey—178	Horn—89
1972	Johnson—1783	Johnson—238	Johnson—132
1973	Johnson—2465	Johnson—346	Johnson—184
1974	Johnson—1969	Johnson—244	Johnson—136
1975	Ramsey—1562	Ramsey—233	Ramsey—128
1976	Ramsey—1931	Ramsey—270	Ramsey—128
1977	Morton—1929	Morton—254	Morton—131
1978	Morton—1802	Morton—267	Morton—146
1979	Morton—2626	Morton—370	Morton—204
1980	Morton—2150	Morton—301	Morton—183

	Pct.	TD	Int.
1960	Tripucka—.519	Tripucka—24	Tripucka—34
1961	Tripucka—.486	Tripucka—10	Herring—22
1962	Tripucka—.545	Tripucka—17	Tripucka—25
1963	Slaughter—.502	Slaughter—12	Slaughter—14
1964	Slaughter—.513	Lee—11	Lee—20
1965	Slaughter—.510	McCormick—7	McCormick—14
1966	Choboian—.503	McCormick—6	McCormick—15
1967	Tensi—.403	Tensi—16	Tensi—17
1968	Briscoe—.415	Briscoe—14	Briscoe—13
1969	Tensi—.458	Tensi—14	Tensi—12
1970	Liske—.471	Liske—7	Liske—11
1971	Horn—.514	Ramsey—5	Horn—14
1972	Johnson—.555	Johnson—14	Johnson—14
1973	Johnson—.532	Johnson—20	Johnson—17
1974	Johnson—.557	Johnson—13	Johnson—9
1975	Ramsey—.549	Ramsey—9	Ramsey—14
1976	Ramsey—.474	Ramsey—11	Ramsey—13
1977	Morton—.516	Morton—14	Morton—8
1978	Weese—.632	Morton—11	Morton—8
1979	Morton—.551	Morton—16	Morton—19
1980	Morton—.608	Morton—12	Morton—13

YEARLY LEADERS (CONTINUED)

Receiving

	No.	Yards	Average	TD
1960	Taylor—92	Taylor—1235	Carmichael—19.3	Taylor—12
1961	Taylor—100	Taylor—1176	Frazier—17.0	Frazier—6
1962	Taylor—77	Taylor—908	Scarpitto—19.0	Scarpitto—6
1963	Taylor—78	Taylor—1101	Groman—16.2	Taylor—10
1964	Taylor—76	Taylor—873	Dixon—15.4	Taylor—7
1965	Taylor—85	Taylor—1131	Scarpitto—18.3	Taylor—6
1966	Haynes—46	Denson—725	Denson—20.1	Scarpitto—4
1967	Denson—46	Denson—899	Denson—19.5	Denson—11
	Crabtree—46			
1968	Crabtree—35	Crabtree—601	Denson—17.2	Crabtree—5
				Denson—5
1969	Denson—53	Denson—809	Embree—16.2	Denson—10
1970	Denson—47	Denson—646	Whalen—14.0	Whalen—3
1971	Anderson—37	Simmons—403	Simmons—16.1	Harrison—2
1972	Sherman—38	Sherman—661	Sherman—17.4	Moses—5
1973	Odoms—43	Odoms—629	Moses—18.5	Moses—8
1974	Odoms—42	Odoms—639	Moses—16.4	Odoms—6
1975	Keyworth—42	Odoms—544	Moses—17.4	Dolbin—3
				Odoms—3
1976	Armstrong—39	Moses—498	Moses—19.9	Moses—7
1977	Odoms—37	Moses—539	Moses—20.0	Moses—4
1978	Odoms—54	Odoms—829	Moses—20.1	Odoms—6
1979	Upchurch—64	Moses—943	Moses—17.5	Upchurch—7
1980	Jensen—49	Moses—674	Moses—17.7	Odoms—6

Interceptions

	No.	Ret. Yards
1960	Gonsoulin—11	Gonsoulin—98
1961	Nugent—7	McNamara—85
1962	Gonsoulin—7	Zeman—133
1963	Gonsoulin—6	Gonsoulin—64
1964	Brown—9	Brown—140
1965	Gonsoulin—6	Wilson—118
1966	Brown—3	Brown—37
	Sellers—3	
1967	Sellers—7	Wilson—153
1968	Jaquess—5	Jaquess—64
1969	Thompson—3	Thompson—92
1970	Martha—6	Martha—99
1971	Thompson—5	Thompson—83
1972	Mitchell—3	Preece—30
1973	Jones—4	Thompson—96
1974	Jones—5	Thompson—105
	Thompson—5	
1975	Gradishar—3	Thompson—97
1976	Jackson—7	Jackson—136
1977	Thompson—5	Wright—128
1978	B. Jackson—6	B. Jackson—128
	Foley—6	
1979	Foley—6	Thompson—57
1980	Foley—4	Foley—115

Interception Returns For Touchdowns

	Date	Opponent	Yards
Latimer	11/23/80	vs. Seattle	15
Gradishar	10/5/80	at Cleveland	93
T. Jackson	11/5/78	vs. New York Jets	28
T. Jackson	11/27/77	vs. Baltimore	73
Wright	10/16/77	at Oakland	18
Jackson	11/14/76	at San Diego	46
Rowser	11/7/76	vs. Tampa Bay	32
Gradishar	11/7/76	vs. Tampa Bay	31
Rowser	9/19/76	vs. N. Y. Jets	41
Gradishar	9/29/75	vs. Green Bay	44
Thompson	10/13/74	vs. New Orleans	38
Mitchell	10/28/73	at N.Y. Jets	40
Thompson	10/14/73	at Houston	59
Forsberg	10/24/71	at Cleveland	40
Burrell	12/7/69	at Miami	38
Thompson	11/16/69	vs. Houston	57
Wilson	12/17/67	vs. Kansas City	70
Wilson	10/22/67	vs. San Diego	40
Sellers	9/3/67	vs. Boston	24

YEARLY LEADERS (CONTINUED)

Interception Returns For Touchdowns

	Date	Opponent	Yards
Bramlett	11/14/65	at Houston	25
Wilson	11/7/65	vs. San Diego	65
Griffin	10/17/65	vs. Houston	44
Janik	11/1/64	at Kansas City	22
Gonsoulin	10/6/63	vs. San Diego	43
McMillin	11/22/62	vs. New York	59
McGeever	10/5/62	vs. Oakland	48
Gonsoulin	10/5/62	vs. Oakland	64
Zeman	9/30/62	at New York	30
Yelverton	10/2/60	vs. Oakland	20
Pyeatt	9/18/60	at Buffalo	40

Other Defensive Returns For Touchdowns

	Date	Opponent	Yards
Thompson (fumble)	9/14/80	vs. Dallas	32
Wright (fumble—lateral from Gradishar)	12/2/79	at Buffalo	86
Swenson (fumble)	11/18/79	at San Francisco	88
Nairne (blocked punt)	11/11/79	vs. New England	22
Carter (fumble)	11/11/79	vs. New England	2
Thompson (fumble—fumble by Swenson)	10/14/79	at Kansas City	2
Gradishar (fumble)	12/3/78	at Oakland	30
Thompson (fumble)	11/5/78	vs. New York Jets	4
Polti (fumble—lateral from Swenson)	11/7/76	vs. Tampa Bay	26
Jones (fumble)	9/23/76	vs. Cleveland	43
Smith (fumble)	11/23/75	at Atlanta	
Thompson (fumble)	10/22/73	vs. Oakland	80
Bramlett (blocked FG)	11/27/66	vs. San Diego	86
Griffin (blocked punt)	10/17/65	vs. Houston	10
Bramlett (fumble)	9/24/65	at Boston	(recovered in end zone)
McMillin (fumble)	11/8/64	vs. San Diego	(recovered in end zone)
Cooke (fumble)	11/1/64	at Kansas City	46
McFadin (fumble)	10/13/63	vs. Houston	6
McMillin (fumble)	12/9/62	at Dallas	9
McFadin (fumble)	11/22/62	vs. New York	69
Gavin (blocked punt)	12/10/61	at Dallas	23

Punt Returns

	No.	Yards	Average
1960	Carmichael—15	Carmichael—101	Carmichael—6.7
1961	Frazier—18	Frazier—231	Frazier—12.8
1962	Mingo—7	Zeman—59	Zeman—11.8
1963	Mitchell—12	Mitchell—141	Mingo—12.1
1964	Barry—16	Barry—149	Mitchell—12.0
1965	Barry—21	Barry—210	Barry—10.0
1966	Haynes—10	Haynes—119	Haynes—11.9
1967	Little—16	Little—270	Little—16.9
1968	Little—24	Little—261	Little—10.9
1969	Thompson—25	Thompson—288	Thompson—11.5
1970	Thompson—23	Thompson—233	Thompson—10.1
1971	Thompson—29	Thompson—274	Thompson—9.4
1972	Sherman—10	Sherman—89	Sherman—8.9
1973	Thompson—30	Thompson—366	Thompson—13.2
1974	Thompson—26	Thompson—350	Thompson—13.5
1975	Upchurch—27	Upchurch—312	Thompson—12.2
1976	Upchurch—39	Upchurch—536	Upchurch—13.7
1977	Upchurch—51	Upchurch—653	Upchurch—12.8
1978	Upchurch—36	Upchurch—493	Upchurch—13.7
1979	Upchurch—30	Upchurch—304	Upchurch—10.1
1980	Upchurch—37	Upchurch—353	Upchurch—9.5

YEARLY LEADERS (CONTINUED)

Kickoff Returns

	No.	Yards	Average
1960	Carmichael—22	Carmichael—581	Carmichael—26.4
1961	Frazier—18	Frazier—504	Frazier—28.0
1962	Frazier—19	Frazier—388	Frazier—20.4
1963	Mitchell—37	Mitchell—954	Mitchell—25.7
1964	Barry—47	Barry—1245	Barry—26.5
1965	Haynes—34	Haynes—901	Haynes—26.5
1966	Sellers—19	Sellers—540	Sellers—28.4
1967	Little—35	Little—942	Little—26.9
1968	Little—26	Little—649	Little—25.0
1969	Williams—23	Williams—574	Thompson—28.5
1970	Anderson—21	Anderson—520	Anderson—24.8
1971	Anderson—8	Little—199	Little—28.3
1972	Montgomery—29	Montgomery—756	Montgomery—26.1
1973	Armstrong—20	Armstrong—472	Armstrong—23.6
1974	Armstrong—16	Armstrong—386	Armstrong—24.1
1975	Upchurch—40	Upchurch—1084	Upchurch—27.1
1976	Upchurch—22	Upchurch—514	Perrin—27.9
1977	Upchurch—20	Upchurch—456	Upchurch—22.8
1978	Perrin—12	Perrin—256	Upchurch—27.8
1979	Pane—18	Pane—354	Pane—19.7
1980	Brunson—40	Brunson—923	Brunson—23.1

Scoring

	TD	FG	Points
1960	Taylor—12	Mingo 18-28, .643	Mingo—123
1961	Frazier—8	Hill 5-15, .333	Frazier—50
	Stone—8		
1962	Scarpitto—6	Mingo 27-39, .692	Mingo—137
1963	Taylor—10	Mingo 16-30, .533	Mingo—83
1964	Taylor—7	Mingo 8-12, .667	Taylor—42
1965	Hayes—7	Kroner 13-29, .448	Kroner—71
	Gilchrist—7		
1966	Scarpitto—5	Kroner 14-25, .560	Kroner—62
1967	Denson—11	Humphreys 7-15, .467	Denson—66
1968	Crabtree—5	Howfield 9-18, .500	Howfield—57
	Little—5		
	Denson—5		
1969	Denson—10	Howfield 13-29, .448	Howfield—75
1970	Crenshaw—6	Howfield 18-32, .563	Howfield—81
1971	Little—6	Turner 25-38, .658	Turner—93
1972	Little—13	Turner 20-29, .690	Turner—97
1973	Little—13	Turner 22-33, .667	Turner—106
1974	Armstrong—12	Turner 11-21, .524	Armstrong—72
1975	*5 players—4	Turner 21-29, .724	Turner—86
1976	Moses—7	Turner 15-21, .714	Turner—81
1977	**5 players—4	Turner 13-19, .684	Turner—76
1978	Odoms—6	Turner 11-22, .500	Turner—64
1979	Upchurch—7	Turner 13-21, .619	Turner—71
1980	Odoms—6	Steinfort 26-34, .765	Steinfort—110

*Keyworth, Dolbin, Little, Lynch, Odoms.

**Armstrong, Moses, Morton, Perrin, Upchurch.

BRONCOS RECORDS

TOTAL OFFENSE

	Game	Season	Career
Plays	56—Tripucka at Buffalo 9/15/62	515—Tripucka, 1960 442—Tripucka, 1962	1,650—Little, 1967-75 1,283—Morton, 1977-80
	56—Slaughter at Houston 12/20/64	392—Morton, 1979 353—Johnson, 1973	1,283—Tripucka, 1960-63 994—Johnson, 1972-75
	55—Tripucka vs. Houston 11/6/60		
	55—Liske at Buffalo 9/28/69		
Yards gained	447—Tripucka at Buffalo 9/15/62	3,038—Tripucka, 1960 2,902—Tripucka, 1962	8,749—Morton, 1977-80 7,651—Tripucka, 1960-63
	445—Johnson vs. Kansas City 11/24/74	2,643—Morton, 1979 2,465—Johnson, 1973	7,255—Johnson, 1972-75 6,545—Ramsey, 1971-76
	376—Tripucka vs. San Diego 9/7/62		
Ave. gain per play	(Min. of 10 plays) 13.58—Johnson vs. Kansas City 9/21/75	(Min. of 125 plays) 7.93—Johnson, 1974 7.53—Breaux, 1963 7.49—Johnson, 1972	(Min. of 200 plays) 7.30—Johnson, 1972-75 7.16—Briscoe, 1968 6.88—Ramsey, 1971-76
	12.82—Johnson vs. New England 12/17/72		
	12.45—Johnson at Oakland 10/22/72		

RUSHING

	Game	Season	Career
Yards gained	183—Armstrong vs. Houston 12/8/74	1,407—Armstrong 1974 1,133—Little, 1971	6,323—Little, 1967-75 4,453—Armstrong, 1973-80
	166—Little at Cincinnati 10/19/69	1,008—Armstrong, 1976	2,653—Keyworth, 1974-80
	148—Keyworth at Oakland 11/24/74		
Carries	32—Gilchrist at Boston 9/24/65	284—Little, 1971 263—Armstrong, 1974	1,641—Little, 1967-75 1,023—Armstrong, 1973-80
	31—Armstrong vs. Houston 12/8/74	256—Little, 1973	699—Keyworth, 1974-80
	30—Little at Boston 11/3/68		
	30—Dawkins at N.Y. Jets 10/28/73		
Ave. per carry	(Min. of 8 carries) 11.00—Rolle vs. Oakland 10/2/60	(Min. of 100 carries) 5.35—Armstrong, 1974 4.99—Little, 1969	(Min. of 100 carries) 4.42—Canada, 1978-79 4.39—Dawkins, 1971-73
	10.38—Joe at Boston 10/18/63	4.71—Jensen, 1980 4.62—Keyworth, 1974	4.35—Armstrong, 1973-80
	10.33—Dawkins at Kansas City 10/7/73	4.62—Canada, 1978	
TDs	3—Armstrong vs. Houston 12/8/74	12—Little, 1973 10—Keyworth, 1974	43—Little, 1967-75 25—Armstrong, 1973-80
	3—Keyworth vs. Kansas City 11/18/74	9—Little, 1972 9—Armstrong, 1974	22—Keyworth, 1974-80
	3—Little vs. Cincinnati 9/16/73		

Other Rushing Records

Longest scoring run—82, Mingo vs. Oakland, 10/5/62
80, Little at San Francisco, 10/25/70
72, Dawkins at Kansas City, 10/7/73

Longest non-scoring run—68, Bell vs. Los Angeles, 10/16/60
63, Krieg vs. San Diego, 12/10/72
62, Perrin vs. Baltimore, 11/27/77

RUSHING RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Top Ten Season Marks

	Attempts	Yards	Average	TDs
Otis Armstrong—1974	263	1407	5.3	9
Floyd Little—1971	284	1133	4.0	6
Otis Armstrong—1976	247	1008	4.1	5
Floyd Little—1973	256	979	3.8	12
Cookie Gilchrist—1965	252	954	3.8	6
Floyd Little—1970	209	901	4.3	3
Floyd Little—1972	216	859	4.0	9
Floyd Little—1969	146	729	5.0	6
Jon Keyworth—1975	182	725	4.0	3
Joe Dawkins—1973	160	706	4.4	2

Top Career Marks

	Attempts	Yards	Average	TDs
Floyd Little—1967-75	1641	6323	3.9	43
Otis Armstrong—1973-80	1023	4453	4.3	25
Jon Keyworth—1973-80	699	2653	3.8	22
Rob Lytle—1977-80	344	1343	3.9	8
Bobby Anderson—1970-73	313	1281	4.1	9
Donnie Stone—1961-64	329	1273	3.9	10
Fran Lynch—1967-75	304	1258	4.1	12
Wendell Hayes—1965-67	320	1198	3.7	10
Charlie Mitchell—1963-67	352	1142	3.3	5
Billy Joe—1963-64	266	1064	4.0	6
Lonnie Perrin—1976-78	255	1029	4.0	9

PASSING

	Game	Season	Career
Yards gained	447—Tripucka	3,038—Tripucka, 1960	8,507—Morton, 1977-80
	at Buffalo 9/15/62	2,902—Tripucka, 1962	7,676—Tripucka, 1960-63
	445—Johnson	2,626—Morton, 1979	7,238—Johnson, 1972-75
	vs. Kansas City 11/18/74		6,437—Ramsey, 1971-76
Completions	376—Tripucka		
	vs. San Diego 9/7/62		
	34—Slaughter	248—Tripucka, 1960	664—Morton, 1977-80
	at Houston 12/20/64	240—Tripucka, 1962	662—Tripucka, 1960-63
Attempts	30—Tripucka	204—Morton, 1979	517—Johnson, 1972-75
	vs. Houston 11/6/60		
	29—Tripucka		
	at Buffalo 9/15/62		
Pct.	56—Tripucka	478—Tripucka, 1960	1,277—Tripucka, 1960-63
	at Buffalo 9/15/62	440—Tripucka, 1962	1,192—Morton, 1977-80
	53—Slaughter	370—Morton, 1979	970—Johnson, 1972-75
	at Houston 12/20/64		919—Ramsey, 1971-76
TDs	52—Tripucka		
	vs. Houston 11/6/60		
	52—Tripucka		
	at Houston 11/20/60		
Pct.	(Min. of 10 attempts)	(Min. of 100 attempts)	(Min. of 100 attempts)
	864—Morton	632—Weese, 1978	570—Weese, 1976-79
	vs. K.C. 12/10/78	608—Morton, 1980	557—Morton, 1977-80
	833—Ramsey	557—Johnson, 1974	533—Johnson, 1972-75
TDs	vs. Cleveland 10/19/75	555—Johnson, 1972	
	773—Morton		
	vs. Houston 11/2/80		
TDs	5—Tripucka	24—Tripucka, 1960	53—Morton, 1977-80
	vs. Buffalo 10/28/62	20—Johnson, 1973	52—Johnson, 1972-75
	4—Tripucka	17—Tripucka, 1962	51—Tripucka, 1960-63
	vs. Boston 10/23/60	17—Tensi, 1967	38—Tensi, 1967-70
TDs	4—Breaux		
	vs. Buffalo 11/3/63		
	4—Briscoe		
	vs. Buffalo 11/24/68		
TDs	4—Johnson		
	at Houston 10/14/73		

PASSING RECORDS (CONTINUED)

	Game	Season	Career
Inter-ceptions	6—Horn	34—Tripucka, 1960	85—Tripucka, 1960-63
	at Green Bay 9/26/71	25—Tripucka, 1962	58—Ramsey, 1971-76
	6—Herring	22—Herring, 1961	52—Johnson, 1972-75
	at Houston 11/26/71		
	5—7 times		
Intercept. avoidance	.000—by many	.030—Morton, 1978	.040—Morton, 1977-80
		.031—Morton, 1977	.043—Breaux, 1963
		.031—Weese, 1979	.054—Johnson, 1972-75
Ave. per completion	(Min. of 12 attempts)	(Min. of 50 attempts)	(Min. of 100 attempts)
	33.64—Lee	17.93—Hufnagel, 1975	17.09—Briscoe, 1968
	at Oakland 12/5/65	17.09—Briscoe, 1968	15.98—Shaw, 1962
	27.92—Briscoe	16.15—Ramsey, 1972	15.09—Tensi, 1967-70
	vs. Buffalo 11/24/68		
	27.42—Johnson		
Ave. per attempt	vs. Kansas City		
	9/21/75	8.65—Lee, 1965	7.56—Johnson, 1972-75
	13.41—Weese	8.31—Weese, 1978	7.52—Weese, 1976-79
	vs. Pittsburgh	8.07—Johnson, 1974	7.14—Morton, 1977-80
	12/16/78		
	12.89—Johnson		
	at Oakland 10/22/72		
	12.86—Morton		
	vs. Kansas City		
	12/10/78		
	12.21—Morton		
	vs. Baltimore		
	11/27/77		

Other Passing Records

Most Consecutive Games with TD Pass—

- 10—Johnson, 1973-74 (Last 8 games of 1973 and first 2 games of 1974).
- 9—Morton, 1977 (5th through 13th games).
- 9—Tripucka, 1962 (Span of 10 games, did not play one game).

Most Consecutive Completions—

- 16—Morton vs. Kansas City, 12/10/78
- 11—Tensi at San Diego, 11/23/69
- 10—Tripucka vs. Dallas, 10/8/61
- 9—Morton vs. New York Jets, 11/18/80
- 9—Tripucka at New York, 9/30/62

Longest Scoring Pass—

- 97—Shaw to Tarr at Boston, 9/21/62
- 96—Tripucka to Frazier at Buffalo, 9/15/62
- 90—McCormick to Scarpitto vs. Houston, 10/17/65
- 90—Johnson to Upchurch vs. Kansas City, 9/21/75

Longest Non-Scoring Pass—

- 74—Liske to Van Heusen at New Orleans, 11/22/70
- 74—Horn to Little vs. Oakland, 10/10/71
- 72—Johnson to Little vs. San Diego, 10/29/74

PASSING RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Top Season Marks

	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.	TD	Pct.
Tripucka—1960	478	248	34	3038	24	.519
Tripucka—1962	440	240	25	2902	17	.545
Morton—1979	370	204	19	2626	16	.551
Johnson—1973	346	184	17	2465	20	.532
Morton—1980	301	183	13	2150	12	.608
Tensi—1969	286	131	12	1990	14	.458
Johnson—1974	244	136	9	1969	13	.557
Ramsey—1976	270	128	13	1931	11	.474
Morton—1977	254	131	8	1929	14	.516
Tensi—1967	325	131	17	1915	16	.403
Morton—1978	267	146	8	1802	11	.547
Johnson—1972	238	132	14	1783	14	.555

Top Ten Career Marks

	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.	TD	Pct.
Morton—1977-80	1192	664	48	8507	53	.557
Tripucka—1960-63	1277	662	85	7676	51	.518
Johnson—1972-75	970	517	52	7238	52	.533
Ramsey—1971-76	919	456	58	6437	35	.496
Tensi—1967-70	810	348	45	5153	38	.430
Slaughter—1963-66	584	291	37	3607	22	.498
McCormick—1963-68	537	207	33	2791	17	.385
Lee—1964-65	345	177	23	2303	16	.513
Liske—1969-70	353	173	22	2185	16	.490
Weese—1976-79	251	143	14	1887	7	.570

Career Touchdown Passes—Morton 53, Johnson 52, Tripucka 51, Tensi 38, Ramsey 35, Slaughter 22, McCormick 17, Lee 16, Liske 16, Briscoe 14, Breaux 7, Weese 7, Herring 5, Penrose 5, Shaw 4, Choboian 4, Horn 3, Robinson 2, LeClair 2, Mingo 2, Glacken 1, Hufnagel 1, Pastrana 1, Stone 1, Little 1, Anderson 1, Keyworth 1.

RECEIVING

	Game	Season	Career
Receptions	13—Anderson vs. Chicago 9/30/73	100—Taylor, 1961 92—Taylor, 1960 85—Taylor, 1965	543—Taylor, 1960-66 346—Odoms, 1972-80 287—Moses, 1972-80 250—Denson, 1964-70
	13—Taylor vs. Oakland 11/29/64		
	12—Taylor at Boston 9/21/62		
Yards	199—Taylor vs. Buffalo 11/27/60	1,235—Taylor, 1960 1,178—Taylor, 1961 1,131—Taylor, 1965	6,872—Taylor, 1960-66 5,204—Moses, 1972-80 5,095—Odoms, 1972-80
	172—Taylor vs. Buffalo 9/19/65		
	171—Taylor at Los Angeles 12/10/60		
TDs	3—Taylor vs. Buffalo 11/27/60	12—Taylor, 1960 11—Denson, 1967 10—Taylor, 1963	44—Taylor, 1960-66 43—Moses, 1972-80 36—Odoms, 1972-80 32—Denson, 1964-70
	3—Scarpitto at Buffalo 12/18/66	10—Denson, 1969	
	3—Moses at Houston 10/4/73		
Ave. per catch	(Min. of 4 Catches) 41.25—Little at Buffalo	(Min. of 20 Catches) 22.05—Scarpitto, 1963 20.14—Denson, 1966	(Min. of 50 Catches) 20.54—Van Heusen, 1968-76
	38.00—Tarr at Boston 9/12/62	20.11—Moses, 1978	18.13—Moses, 1972-80 17.41—Frazier, 1961-63
	33.50—Scarpitto vs. Houston 10/13/63		

RECEIVING RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Other Receiving Records

Most Consecutive Games with TD Reception —

- 6 — Taylor, 1960-61 (Last 4 games of 1960, first 2 games of 1961)
- 6 — Denson, 1969
- 4 — Scarpitto, 1963
- 4 — Denson, 1967
- 4 — Odoms, 1973
- 4 — Upchurch, 1979

Most Consecutive Games with Reception —

- 62 — Taylor, 1960-64
- 41 — Odoms, 1976-79
- 33 — Odoms, 1973-76
- 21 — Little, 1973-74
- 19 — Taylor, 1964-65
- 19 — Denson, 1968-69
- 18 — Prebola, 1961-62

Top Season Marks

	No.	Yards	TD	Ave.
Taylor — 1961	100	1176	4	11.8
Taylor — 1960	92	1235	12	13.4
Taylor — 1965	85	1131	6	13.3
Taylor — 1963	78	1101	10	14.1
Taylor — 1962	77	908	4	11.7
Taylor — 1964	76	873	7	11.5
Upchurch — 1979	64	937	7	14.6
Dickinson — 1962	60	554	4	9.2
Moses — 1979	54	943	6	17.5
Odoms — 1978	54	829	6	15.4
Denson — 1969	53	809	10	15.3

Top Career Marks

	No.	Yards	TD	Ave.
Taylor — 1960-66	543	6872	44	12.7
Odoms — 1972-80	346	5059	36	14.7
Moses — 1972-80	287	5204	43	18.1
Denson — 1964-70	250	4150	32	16.6
Little — 1967-75	215	2418	9	11.2
Upchurch — 1975-80	169	2773	16	16.4
Scarpitto — 1962-67	145	2439	24	16.8
Keyworth — 1974-80	141	1097	3	7.8
Armstrong — 1973-80	131	1302	7	9.9
Prebola — 1961-63	100	1419	4	14.2
Dolbin — 1975-79	94	1576	7	16.8

PUNTING

No.	Game	Season	Career
	12 — Scarpitto at Oakland 9/10/67	105 — Scarpitto, 1967 96 — Dilts, 1978	574 — Van Heusen, 1968-76 248 — Scarpitto, 1965-67
	12 — Van Heusen vs. Cincinnati 10/6/68	90 — Dilts, 1977 88 — Van Heusen, 1968	202 — Fraser, 1962-64
	11 — Scarpitto vs. Oakland 11/5/67		
Ave.	(Min. of 4 punts) 53.8 — Scarpitto vs. San Diego 10/22/67	(Min. of 50 punts) 46.1 — Fraser, 1963 45.8 — Scarpitto, 1966 45.1 — Van Heusen, 1973	(Min. of 50 punts) 45.2 — Fraser, 1962-64 44.4 — Scarpitto, 1965-67 41.7 — Van Heusen, 1968-76 41.7 — Prestridge, 1979-80
	53.5 — Fraser vs. New York 11/17/63		
	52.5 — Fraser at San Diego 12/22/63		
	52.5 — Fraser vs. Kansas City 10/11/64		

Other Punting Records

- Longest punt —** 78 — Van Heusen vs. Dallas, 12/2/73
 75 — Fraser at Oakland, 10/14/62
 75 — Fraser vs. Boston, 11/11/62
 73 — Dilts vs. New York Jets, 11/5/78
 73 — Scarpitto vs. Boston, 9/3/67
 72 — Scarpitto vs. San Diego, 10/22/67
 72 — Van Heusen vs. Oakland, 10/22/73

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (CONTINUED)

INTERCEPTIONS

No.	Game	Season	Career
	4—Brown vs. New York 11/15/64	11—Gonsoulin, 1960 9—Brown, 1964 7—Five players	43—Gonsoulin, 1960-66 36—Thompson, 1969-80 23—Foley, 1976-80 18—T. Jackson, 1973-80
	4—Gonsoulin at Buffalo 9/18/60		
	3—Rizzo at Oakland 10/16/77		
	3—Martha vs. Atlanta 10/18/70		
	3—Gonsoulin vs. Kansas City 10/11/64		
Return yards	93—Gradishar at Cleveland, 10/5/80	153—Wilson, 1967 140—Brown, 1964 136—T. Jackson, 1976	770—Thompson, 1969-80 542—Gonsoulin, 1960-66 332—T. Jackson, 1973-80
	91—Brown vs. New York 11/15/64		
	73—T. Jackson vs. Baltimore 11/27/77		

Other Interception Records

Best interception return average, career (10 or more interceptions) —

21.4, Thompson, 1969-80

19.5, Gradishar, 1974-80

18.4, T. Jackson, 1973-80

Longest non-scoring interception return —

93, Gradishar at Cleveland, 10/5/80

73, T. Jackson vs. Baltimore, 11/27/77

70, Wilson vs. Kansas City, 12/17/67

Longest non-scoring interception return —

70, Moore at Boston 11/20/64

65, Alliston at Buffalo 9/18/60

65, Foley-Gradishar-Wright, vs. New York Giants.
11/14/76 (Foley intercepted and returned 23,
lateral to Gradishar for 10, lateral to Wright for 32).

PUNT RETURNS

No.	Game	Season	Career
	8—Upchurch at Baltimore 10/22/78	51—Upchurch, 1977 39—Upchurch, 1976 37—Upchurch, 1980 36—Upchurch, 1978	220—Upchurch, 1975-80 157—Thompson, 1969-80 81—Little, 1967-75
	7—Thompson at Kansas City 10/6/74		
	7—Upchurch vs. San Diego 11/30/75		
	6—7 times		
Return yards	167—Upchurch vs. Pittsburgh 11/6/77	653—Upchurch, 1977 536—Upchurch, 1976 493—Upchurch, 1978 366—Thompson, 1973	2651—Upchurch, 1975-80 1814—Thompson, 1969-80 893—Little, 1967-75
	125—Upchurch vs. Cleveland 9/26/76		
	105—Upchurch vs. Buffalo 9/25/77		
Average		(10 or more returns) 16.88—Little, 1967 13.74—Upchurch, 1976 13.69—Upchurch, 1978 13.46—Thompson, 1974	(15 or more returns) 12.05—Upchurch, 1975-80 11.89—Mingo, 1960-64 11.55—Thompson, 1969-80

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Other Punt Returns

Longest scoring punt return—92, Upchurch vs. San Diego 10/3/76
 87, Upchurch vs. Pittsburgh 11/6/77
 76, Mingo at Boston 9/9/60

Longest non-scoring punt return—
 60, Thompson at Baltimore 11/10/74
 59, Thompson vs. New England 12/17/72
 54, Mitchell at Buffalo 9/20/64

KICKOFF RETURNS

	Game	Season	Career
No.	7—Barry at Kansas City 11/1/64	47—Barry, 1964 40—Brunson, 1980 40—Upchurch, 1975	104—Little, 1967-75 95—Upchurch, 1975-80 73—Barry, 1964-65
	6—R. Montgomery at San Diego 9/24/72	37—Mitchell, 1963	
	6—Upchurch vs. Cleveland 10/19/75		
Return yards	201—R. Montgomery at San Diego 9/24/72	1245—Barry, 1964 1084—Upchurch, 1975 954—Mitchell, 1963	2523—Little, 1967-75 2355—Upchurch, 1975-80 1856—Barry, 1964-65
	197—Upchurch vs. Cleveland 10/19/75		
	185—Little at Miami 9/17/67		
Average		(14 or more returns)	(40 or more returns)
		28.50—Thompson, 1969	26.28—Haynes, 1965-66
		28.47—Sellers, 1966	25.42—Barry, 1964-65
		28.00—Frazier, 1961	25.13—Thompson, 1969-79 24.79—Upchurch, 1975-79

Other Kickoff Return Records

Longest scoring kickoff return—
 100; Sellers vs. Houston 10/2/66
 100, Wilson at Kansas City 10/8/66
 94, Montgomery at San Diego 9/24/72

Longest non-scoring kickoff return—
 89, Little vs. Oakland 11/10/68
 88, Montgomery at Oakland 10/22/72
 77, Scott vs. Kansas City 10/23/66

SCORING

	Game	Season	Career
TDs	3—8 times	13—Little, 1972 13—Little, 1973 12—Armstrong, 1974 12—Taylor, 1960	54—Little, 1967-75 50—Taylor, 1960-66 44—Moses, 1972-80
FG	5—Mingo vs. San Diego 10/6/63	27—Mingo, 1962 26—Steinfort, 1980 25—Turner, 1971	151—Turner, 1971-79 72—Mingo, 1960-64 40—Howfield, 1968-70
	4—10 times (Turner 3, Mingo 3, Steinfort 2, Howfield, Kroner)		
PAT	6—Turner vs. New England 12/17/72	40—Turner, 1973 37—Turner, 1972 36—Howfield, 1969 36—Turner, 1976	283—Turner, 1971-79 120—Mingo, 1960-64 93—Howfield, 1968-70
	6—Turner at Houston 10/14/73		
	6—Turner vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76		
	6—Turner vs. New England 11/11/79		

SCORING RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Points	Game	Season	Career
	21—Mingo	137—Mingo, 1962	742—Turner, 1971-79
	at Los Angeles	123—Mingo, 1960	408—Mingo, 1960-64
	10/10/60	110—Steinfert, 1980	324—Little, 1967-75
	20—Scarpitto	106—Turner, 1973	
	at Buffalo 12/18/66		
	20—Mingo		
	vs. San Diego		
	10/6/63		

*Taylor vs. Buffalo, 11/27/60; Stone at San Diego, 11/4/62; Scarpitto at Buffalo, 12/18/66; Little vs. Minnesota, 10/15/72; Little vs. Cincinnati, 9/16/73; Moses at Houston, 10/14/73; Keyworth vs. Kansas City, 11/18/74; Armstrong vs. Houston, 12/8/74.

Other Scoring Records

Most consecutive games scoring—

55—Turner, 1971-74
47—Turner, 1975-78
32—Howfield, 1968-70
36—Mingo, 1960-64

Most consecutive games scoring by a non-kicker—

6—Taylor, 1960-61 (Last 4 games of 1960 and first 2 games of 1961)
6—Denson, 1969
6—Little, 1972

Most consecutive games scoring by rushing—

4—Little, 1969
4—Keyworth, 1974
3—Hayes, 1965
3—Armstrong, 1974

Most consecutive games scoring by reception—

6—Taylor, 1960-61 (Last 4 games of 1960 and first 2 games of 1961)
6—Denson, 1969
4—Scarpitto, 1963
4—Denson, 1967
4—Odoms, 1973
4—Upchurch, 1979

TEAM—GENERAL SEASON

Most consecutive victories—8—1976-77 (last two games of 1976, first six of 1977)

6—1977
4—1962 and 1979
3—nine times

Most consecutive games without a loss—8—1976-77

7—1973
6—1977

Most consecutive defeats—11—1963-64

9—1967

Most consecutive games without victory—14—1963-64

9—1967

TEAM—GENERAL GAME

Largest margin of victory— 43—vs. New York Jets 9/19/76 (46-3)
37—vs. Oakland 10/5/62 (44-7)
35—vs. New England 11/11/79 (45-10)
35—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76 (48-13)

Most points in one half— 38—vs. New England 11/11/79
38—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76
33—vs. San Diego 10/6/63
32—vs. New York 11/22/62

Most points in one quarter— 26—at New York Jets 12/3/67
24—vs. Buffalo 11/27/60
24—vs. San Diego 10/6/63
24—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76
24—vs. New England 11/11/79

TEAM—OFFENSE

Scoring

	Game	Season
Most Points	50—vs. San Diego 10/6/63	354—1973
	48—at Houston 10/14/73	353—1962
	48—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76	325—1972
Fewest Points	0—San Diego 37, Denver 0—10/29/61	196—1966
	0—at Oakland 51, Denver 0—9/10/67	203—1971
	0—at Kansas City 16, Denver 0—12/6/70	240—1964
	0—at San Diego 17, Denver 0—12/15/74	251—1961
	0—at San Diego 23, Denver 0—10/8/78	
Most touchdowns	6—7 times	41—1973
	Most recent: vs. New England 11/11/79	39—1962
		39—1974
		39—1976
Most field goals	5—vs. San Diego 10/6/63	27—1962
	4—10 times	26—1980
		25—1971
		22—1973
		21—1975

Total Offense

	Game	Season
Most plays	88—at Seattle 10/29/78 (OT)	1044—1979
	86—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	1039—1978
	86—at Chicago 12/12/76	992—1980
	84—vs. Boston 12/3/61	964—1975
Most total yards	543—vs. New York Jets, 9/19/76	5142—1979
	532—vs. Kansas City, 11/18/74	4829—1978
	507—vs. Oakland, 12/14/80	4707—1962
	505—vs. San Diego, 9/7/62	4642—1980
Ave. gain per play	8.56—vs. San Diego 9/7/62	5.38—1972
	8.21—at Houston 10/14/73	5.21—1974
	7.77—vs. New England 12/17/72	5.20—1962
Fewest yards	5—at Oakland 9/10/67	3168—1966
	26—at Houston 9/3/66	3332—1964
	117—vs. Buffalo 12/13/64	3811—1961

Rushing Offense

	Game	Season
Rushing plays	60—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	601—1978
	59—at Chicago 12/12/76	524—1979
	59—at Kansas City (OT) 9/24/78	523—1977
		512—1971
Rushing yards	356—at Chicago 12/12/76	2451—1978
	328—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	2157—1974
	292—at Oakland 11/24/74	2093—1971
		2043—1977
Ave. gain per rush	6.68—vs. Dallas 10/30/60	4.50—1972
	6.64—vs. Houston 9/17/72	4.44—1974
	6.59—vs. Buffalo 11/19/61	4.15—1969
Fewest yards	13—at Oakland 10/22/72	1091—1961
	20—at Dallas 12/10/61	1173—1966
	27—at Buffalo 9/15/62	1195—1960

TEAM RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Passing Offense

	Game	Season
Passes attempted	56—at Buffalo 9/15/72	568—1961
	56—at Boston 9/21/62	559—1962
	55—at Houston 12/20/64	508—1960
Passes completed	35—at Houston 12/20/64	292—1962
	32—vs. Kansas City 11/18/74	265—1961
	31—vs. Houston 11/6/60	262—1980
Passes had intercepted	8—at Houston 12/2/62	45—1961
	6—6 times	40—1962
		35—1960
Completion percentage	.870—vs. Kansas City 12/10/78	.561—1980
	.773—vs. Houston 11/2/80	.559—1974
	.765—vs. Cincinnati 12/14/69	.555—1978
Touchdown passes	5—vs. Buffalo 10/28/62	24—1960
	4—5 times	23—1969
		23—1963
Net yards passing	459—vs. Kansas City 11/18/74	3404—1962
	431—vs. Oakland 12/14/80	3247—1960
	428—at Buffalo 9/15/62	3102—1979
Fewest net yards	-53—at Oakland 9/10/67	1682—1967
	- 7—at Houston 9/3/66	1995—1966
	6—vs. New York 11/15/64	2021—1964
Fewest times Denver passers thrown for loss	0—Many times	22—1971
		24—1965
		27—1973
Most times Denver passers thrown for loss	11—vs. Buffalo 12/13/64	63—1963
	11—vs. Oakland 11/5/67	61—1964
	10—at Oakland 12/8/75	58—1967
	10—at Oakland 10/31/76	
Most yardage Denver passers thrown for loss	95—vs. Oakland 11/5/67	590—1963
	84—vs. Buffalo 12/13/64	520—1964
	78—vs. Boston 9/29/63	508—1967
	78—vs. Kansas City 12/14/68	

First Downs

	Game	Season
Most first downs	34—vs. Kansas City 11/18/74	306—1979
	31—vs. New York Jets 9/19/76	294—1978
	29—vs. New York Jets 11/16/80	286—1980
First downs rushing	19—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	130—1979
	19—at Chicago 12/12/76	129—1978
	17—at Seattle 10/29/78 (OT)	120—1974
First downs passing	25—vs. Kansas City 11/24/74	177—1962
	23—at Houston 12/20/64	158—1980
	22—vs. Oakland 12/14/80	149—1979
First downs penalty	6—vs. Houston 9/7/64	28—1978
	5—5 times	27—1979
		27—1965
Fewest first downs	0—at Houston 9/3/66	171—1966
	3—at Oakland 9/10/67	172—1967
	7—at Kansas City 12/6/70	207—1964
	7—vs. Buffalo 12/13/64	

TEAM RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Punts

	Game	Season
Most punts	12—at Oakland 9/10/67	105—1967
	12—vs. Cincinnati 10/6/68	96—1968
	10—6 times	96—1978
Fewest punts	0—vs. Dallas 10/8/61	59—1962
	1—vs. San Diego 11/27/66	60—1972
	1—vs. N.Y. Jets 9/19/76	63—1975
	1—at Kansas City 12/7/80	
Best average	(Min. of 4 punts)	
	53.75—vs. San Diego 10/22/67	45.2—1966
	53.50—vs. New York 11/17/63	45.1—1973
	52.50—at San Diego 12/22/63	44.9—1967
Poorest average		
		35.1—1976
		36.4—1978
		37.3—1960
Best net average (category originated in 1976)	(Min. of 4 punts)	
	52.3—at Houston 12/4/77	35.9—1980
	43.7—vs. Dallas 9/14/80	33.7—1977
	43.3—vs. San Diego 10/7/79	33.0—1979

Punt Returns

	Game	Season
Most returns	8—at Buffalo 9/20/70	63—1970
	8—at Kansas City 10/6/74	58—1977
	8—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	51—1976
	8—at Baltimore 10/22/78	51—1978
Most return yards	167—vs. Pittsburgh 11/6/77	712—1977
	126—at New York 12/3/67	640—1976
	125—vs. Cleveland 9/26/76	582—1978
Best average		13.5—1967
		12.9—1963
		12.5—1976

Kickoff Returns

	Game	Season
Most returns	10—vs. Boston 10/4/64	78—1963
	10—at San Diego 12/22/63	76—1964
	9—at Boston 10/18/63	71—1965
	9—vs. Kansas City 9/7/63	
Most return yards	295—vs. Boston 10/4/64	1801—1963
	289—vs. Kansas City 9/7/63	1758—1964
	238—at Kansas City 10/8/63	1731—1965
Best average		26.9—1966
		25.3—1967
		24.5—1975

Fumbles

	Game	Season
Most fumbles	6—5 times	40—1961
		36—1966
		35—1979
Most fumbles lost	5—vs. Cleveland 10/19/75	23—1961
	5—vs. Chicago 9/30/73	18—1979
	4—6 times	17—3 times
Fewest fumbles	0—Many times	15—1969
		21—1973
		23—4 times
Fewest fumbles lost	0—Many times	8—1964
		9—1969
		9—1973

TEAM RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Penalties

	Game	Season
Most penalties	15—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76	132—1978
	14—vs. Oakland 10/17/76	116—1979
	14—at N. Y. Jets 10/28/73	105—1976
Most yards penalized	160—vs. Tampa Bay 11/7/76	1097—1978
	134—vs. Pittsburgh 11/6/77	1006—1979
	132—vs. Oakland 10/17/76	986—1976
Fewest penalties	0—vs. Kansas City 12/17/67	48—1967
	1—9 times	54—1960
		60—1961
Fewest yards penalized	0—vs. Kansas City 12/17/67	501—1960
	0—at Boston 9/21/62	512—1967
	5—3 times	548—1963

TEAM — DEFENSE

Total Defense

	Game	Season 100
Fewest plays allowed	40—vs. San Diego 10/6/63	826—1971
	42—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	838—1970
	44—at Boston 9/24/65	847—1963
	44—vs. Boston 9/29/63	
Fewest yards allowed	60—at Cleveland 10/24/71	3705—1970
	66—vs. Chicago 12/5/71	3722—1976
	70—vs. San Diego 11/2/69	3774—1977
Lowest yield per play	1.12—vs. Chicago 12/5/71	4.01—1977
	1.25—vs. San Diego 11/2/69	4.14—1976
	1.30—at Cleveland 10/24/71	4.38—1978

Rushing Defense

	Game	Season
Fewest rushes allowed	11—at N. Y. Jets 12/3/67	384—1965
	14—at N. Y. Jets 10/28/73	409—1970
	15—at Cleveland 10/24/71	420—1963
Fewest yards allowed	0—at Kansas City 12/19/65	1337—1965
	18—vs. Pittsburgh 9/27/70	1351—1970
	24—at Cleveland 10/24/71	1530—1977
Lowest yield per rush	0.00—at Kansas City 12/19/65	3.26—1977
	0.64—vs. Pittsburgh 9/27/70	3.30—1970
	1.47—at Cincinnati 12/14/69	3.37—1979

Passing Defense

	Game	Season
Fewest attempts by opponents	10—at Kansas City (OT) 9/24/78	348—1975
	14—vs. Oakland 10/30/77	356—1971
	14—at New England 11/28/76	379—1970
	14—at Kansas City 11/27/69	
	14—at Houston 11/20/60	
Fewest completions by opponents	2—at Chicago 12/12/76	150—1971
	5—at Green Bay 9/26/71	181—1975
	5—vs. Dallas 10/8/61	189—1960
Lowest completion percentage allowed	.118—at Chicago 12/12/76	.421—1971
	.226—vs. Chicago 12/5/71	.448—1961
	.259—at Cleveland 10/24/71	.459—1965
Fewest net yards allowed	-7—vs. Chicago 12/5/71	1985—1971
	18—at Kansas City 12/6/70	2026—1976
	33—vs. Kansas City 10/4/70	2032—1975
Fewest TD passes allowed		8—1976
	0—Many times	9—1978
		11—1979
		11—1977

TEAM DEFENSE RECORDS (CONTINUED)

PASSING DEFENSE (CONTINUED)

Highest percentage interception of opponent passes	7—at Oakland 10/16/77	32—1964 31—1978 28—1967
Most opponent passes intercepted	6—4 times	
Most yards interception returns	133—at Buffalo 9/18/60 117—vs. Oakland 10/5/62 110—vs. Kansas City 10/9/77	491—1977 483—1962 465—1965
Most times opponent passers thrown for loss	10—at Cincinnati 10/19/69 9—vs. Chicago 12/5/71 9—vs. Buffalo 11/19/61	50—1970 45—1969 44—1971 44—1964
Most yardage, opponent passers thrown for loss	95—vs. New York 11/15/64 76—vs. Kansas City 10/4/70 75—vs. New England 12/17/72	456—1970 447—1964 435—1971
Lowest yield per pass attempt		5.00—1964 5.49—1961 5.52—1972
Lowest yield per pass completion		10.60—1976 10.64—1972 10.67—1979 10.88—1977

Punting

	Game	Season
	(4 or more punts)	
Lowest opponent average	30.0—vs. Buffalo 11/27/60 30.3—at Minnesota (OT) 9/11/78 30.4—at Houston 10/26/69	37.3—1976 39.0—1960 39.9—1978

Punt Returns

	Game	Season
Lowest opponent average		4.81—1978 6.13—1968 7.03—1969

Kickoff Returns

	Game	Season
Lowest opponent average		17.14—1961 20.13—1960 20.39—1973

Fumbles

	Game	Season
Most opponent fumbles recovered	6—at Buffalo 12/2/79 5—at Boston 11/6/66 5—vs. Buffalo 12/13/64 5—at Oakland 10/14/62	21—1964 20—1963 20—1971
Fewest opponent fumbles recovered	0—Many times	11—1974 12—1980 12—1972 12—1968 12—1967

TEAM DEFENSE RECORDS (CONTINUED)

First Downs

	Game	Season
Fewest opponent first downs	3—vs. San Diego 11/30/75	199—1970
	5—at Chicago 12/12/76	206—1971
	6—vs. Oakland 11/20/66	217—1977
	6—at Cleveland 10/24/71	
Fewest opponent first downs rushing	1—vs. Cincinnati 12/14/69	67—1970
	1—at Cleveland 10/24/71	77—1977
	1—at Los Angeles 12/12/72	83—1971
Fewest opponent first downs passing	1—San Diego 11/30/75	91—1971
	1—at Chicago 12/12/76	104—1976
	2—Dallas 10/8/61	106—1975
Fewest opponent first downs penalty	0—Many times	12—1968
		14—1970
		15—1962

Penalties

	Game	Season
Most opponent penalties	16—vs. Chicago 10/16/78	118—1979
	13—at Houston 10/26/69	114—1978
	13—vs. Cleveland 9/26/76	101—1980
Most yards opponent penalized	147—vs. Chicago 10/16/78	1033—1979
	145—at Seattle 12/8/79	901—1969
	140—at Houston 10/26/69	894—1978
Fewest yards opponent penalized	0—at Oakland 12/19/71	516—1963
	4—at Miami 12/20/75	573—1964
	5—at Houston 9/3/66	576—1966
	5—vs. Boston 11/11/62	

Scoring

	Game	Season
Fewest points	0—vs. San Diego 11/2/69	148—1977
	0—at Cleveland 10/24/71	198—1978
	0—vs. San Diego 10/3/76	206—1976
	0—at San Diego 11/14/76	
	0—vs. St. Louis 9/18/77	
	0—vs. Cincinnati 9/2/79	
	0—vs. San Diego 10/7/79	
Fewest touchdowns allowed	0—Many times	18—1977
		21—1978
		25—1976
Fewest field goals allowed	0—Many times	8—1977
		12—1976
		13—1961

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Total Offense

MOST PLAYS—60, Joe Namath, at N. Y. Jets, 12/3/67. **YARDS GAINED**—448, Len Dawson, at Kansas City, 11/1/64. **GAIN PER PLAY**—(10 or more plays)—21.62, Jacky Lee, at Houston, 11/29/60.

Rushing

MOST RUSHES—36, Earl Campbell, Houston, 11/2/80. **YARDS GAINED**—183, Paul Lowe, at San Diego, 12/22/63. **GAIN PER RUSH (8 or more rushes)**—12.50, Abner Haynes, at Miami, 9/17/67, and 12.50, Booker Russell, vs. Oakland, 11/25/79. **LONGEST SCORING RUN**—69, Curtis McClinton, at Dallas, 12/9/62. **LONGEST NON-SCORING RUN**—76, Willmer Fowler, Buffalo, 11/27/60, and 76, Walter Payton, Chicago, 10/16/78.

OPPONENT RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Passing

ATTEMPTS—60, Joe Namath, at N.Y. Jets, 12/3/67. **COMPLETIONS**—31, Joe Gilliam, Pittsburgh (OT), 9/22/74. **HAD INTERCEPTED**—7, Ken Stabler, at Oakland, 10/16/77. **YARDS GAINED**—435, Len Dawson, at Kansas City, 11/1/64. **COMPLETION PERCENTAGE** (10 or more passes)—.813, Bob Berry, at Atlanta, 11/26/72. **TOUCHDOWNS**—6, Len Dawson, at Kansas City, 11/1/64. **LONGEST SCORING PLAY**—92, Len Dawson to Tom Brooker, Dallas, 11/18/62. 92, Jacky Lee to Bill Groman, at Houston, 11/20/60. **LONGEST NON-SCORING PLAY**—77, Tom Flores to Art Powell, Oakland, 11/29/64.

Receiving

RECEPTIONS—12, Art Powell, New York, 10/22/61. 12, Ed Podolak, at Kansas City, 10/7/73. 12, Ken Payne, Green Bay, 9/29/75. **YARDS GAINED**—213, Curtis McClinton, at Kansas City, 12/19/65. **TOUCHDOWNS**—4, Lance Alworth, San Diego, 12/1/68.

Punting

MOST PUNTS—11, Dennis Partee, San Diego, 11/30/75. 11, Bob Parsons, at Chicago, 12/12/76. **AVERAGE (4 or more punts)**—57.40, Steve O'Neal, New York, 9/21/69. **LONGEST PUNT**—98, Steve O'Neal, New York, 9/21/69.

Punt Returns

MOST RETURNS—9, Rodger Bird, at Oakland, 9/10/67. **RETURN YARDS**—143, Rodger Bird, at Oakland, 9/10/67. **LONGEST SCORING RETURN**—82, Bobby Jancik, at Houston, 12/20/64. **LONGEST NON-SCORING RETURN**—72, Greg Pruitt, at Cleveland, 10/27/74.

Kickoff Returns

MOST RETURNS—5, held by eight players. **RETURN YARDS**—164, Dave Grayson, Kansas City, 10/11/64. **LONGEST SCORING RETURN**—106, Noland Smith, Kansas City, 12/17/67. **LONGEST NON-SCORING RETURN**—80, Dave Grayson, Kansas City, 10/11/64.

Interceptions

MOST INTERCEPTIONS—3 held by nine players. **RETURN YARDS**—99, Bobby Hunt, at Kansas City, 12/8/63. **LONGEST SCORING RETURN**—80, Coy Bacon, San Diego, 11/11/73. **LONGEST NON-SCORING RETURN**—87, Ron Hall, Boston, 9/18/66.

Scoring

TOUCHDOWNS—4, Frank Jackson, at Dallas, 12/10/61. 4, Bert Coan, Kansas City, 10/23/66. 4, Lance Alworth, San Diego, 12/1/68. **FIELD GOALS**—6, Gino Cappelletti, Boston, 10/4/64. **LONGEST FIELD GOAL**—57, Don Cockroft, Cleveland, 10/29/72. **POINTS**—24, Frank Jackson, at Dallas, 12/10/61. 24, Bert Coan, Kansas City, 10/23/66. 24, Lance Alworth, San Diego, 12/1/68.

OPPONENT SINGLE GAME TEAM RECORDS

Scoring

POINTS—59, Kansas City, 9/7/63.

Total Offense

PLAYS—93, Pittsburgh (OT), 9/22/74. **YARDS GAINED**—634, at Oakland, 10/25/64. **GAIN PER PLAY**—10.30, San Diego, 10/6/63. **FEWEST YARDS GAINED**—60, at Cleveland, 10/24/71.

OPPONENT RECORDS (CONTINUED)

Rushing

RUSHES—62, at New England, 11/28/76. **YARDS GAINED**—380, Kansas City, 10/23/66. **GAIN PER RUSH**—9.27, Kansas City, 10/23/66. **FEWEST YARDS GAINED**—0, at Kansas City, 12/19/65.

Passing

ATTEMPTS—62, at New York, 12/3/67. **COMPLETIONS**—31, Pittsburgh (OT), 9/22/74. **HAD INTERCEPTED**—7, at Oakland, 10/16/77. **MOST YARDS GAINED**—427, at Oakland, 10/25/64. **FEWEST YARDS GAINED**—(-7), Chicago, 12/5/71. **COMPLETION PERCENTAGE**—.813, at Atlanta, 11/26/72.

First Downs

TOTAL FIRST DOWNS—33, Pittsburgh (OT), 9/22/74. **RUSHING**—21, at New England, 11/28/76. **PASSING**—21, San Diego, 12/1/68. **PENALTY**—6, Miami, 12/4/66. 6, at Oakland, 11/9/69.

Punting

MOST PUNTS—11, San Diego, 11/30/75, and at Chicago, 12/12/76. **BEST AVERAGE (4 or more punts)**—57.40, NY Jets, 9/21/69.

Punt Returns

MOST RETURNS—9, at Oakland, 9/10/67. **RETURN YARDS**—143, at Oakland, 9/10/67.

Kickoff Returns

MOST RETURNS—9, at Houston, 10/14/73, and at San Diego, 12/9/73. **RETURN YARDS**—238, at Kansas City, 10/8/66.

TWO TEAM RECORDS

Scoring

POINTS—91—N.Y. Titans, 46, Denver 45, 11/22/62.

Total Offense

PLAYS—161—Denver 88, Seattle 73 (OT), 10/29/78. **YARDS GAINED**—1,057—Denver 476, at San Diego 581, 10/20/68.

Rushing

MOST RUSHES—100—Denver 59, at Kansas City 41 (OT), 9/24/78. **YARDS GAINED**—472—Denver 356, at Chicago 116, 12/12/76.

Passing

ATTEMPTS—97—Denver 53, at Houston 44, 12/2/62. **COMPLETIONS**—53—Denver 35, at Houston 18, 12/20/64. **HAD INTERCEPTED**—13—Denver 8, at Houston 5, 12/2/62. **YARDS GAINED**—708—Denver 321, at San Diego 387, 10/20/68.

Other

TOTAL FIRST DOWNS—58—Denver 34, Kansas City 24, 11/18/74. **FUMBLES**—12—Denver 6, at Boston 6, 11/6/66, and Denver 5, Buffalo 7, 12/13/64. **FUMBLES LOST**—10—Denver 5, at Boston 5, 11/6/66. **YARDS PENALIZED**—273—Denver 128, at Seattle 145, 12/8/79. **FEWEST YARDS PENALIZED**—25—Denver 5, Dallas 20, 10/30/60.

PLAYER HISTORY

ALL-TIME DRAFT CHOICES

1960 (First selections)—Harry Ball, T, Boston College; Charley Britt, QB, Georgia; Dave Canary, E, Cincinnati; Paul Candro, HB, Boston U.; Bill Carrico, G, N. Texas St.; Larry Cundiff, C, Mich. State; Bernard Darre, T, Tulane; Roger Davis, T, Syracuse; Lonnie Dennis, G, Brig. Young; John Dingens T-G, Detroit; Maurice Doke, G, Texas; Mike Dowdle, FB, Texas; Wayne Hawkins, T, COP; Gary Huber, C, Miami (O.); Dave Hudson, E, Florida; Claude King, HB, Houston; Don Klochak, FB, N. Carolina; Roger LeClerc, C, Trinity; Dean Look, QB, Mich. State; Bill Mathis, HB, Clemson; Ken McNeece, T-G, San Jose St.; James Monroe, QB, Arkansas; Ray Norton, HB, San Jose St.; Robert Rosbaugh, HB, Miami (Fla.); Mel Semenko, E, Colorado; Lebron Shields, T, Tennessee; Jack Spikes, FB, TCU; Howard Turley, E, Louisville; Jim Walden, QB, Wyoming; Willie West, HB, Oregon; John Willener, G, Oregon; Bob Yates, T, Syracuse; Ken Young, E, Valparaiso; Bob Zimpter, T-G, Bowling Gr.

1960 (Second selections)—Mel Branch, T-G, LSU; Ronnie Cain, E, Kentucky; Jack Campbell, E, Toledo; Tom Chapman, E, Detroit; LaVelle Coleman, HB, West Mich.; Jim Colvin, T-G, Houston; Teddy Foret, T-G, Auburn; Bobby Green, HB, Florida; Jack Hanlon, HB, Penn.; G. Hershberger, T-G, Wichita; Sam Homer, HB, VMI; Bob Hudson, E, Lamar Tech.; Vic Jones, HB, Indiana; Billy Luplow, T-G, Arkansas; George Phelps, HB, Cornell C. Ia.; Tom Roberts, T-G, Georgia Tech; Sam Stenger, C, Denver; Olin Treadway, QB, Iowa; John Wilkins, T-G, So. California; Emmet Wilson, T-G, Georgia Tech.

1961—1, Bob Gaiters, HB, N. Mex. St. 2, Jerry Hill, HB, Wyoming. 3, Chas. Strange, C, LSU. 4, Roland McDale, T, Nebraska. 4a, (NY), Sonny Davis, E, Baylor. 5, Charles Cowan, E, NM H'lds. U. 6, Dale Evans, HB, Kansas State. 7, Pat Patchen, E, Florida. 9, Phil Nugent, QB, Tulane. 10, Chas. Sturgeon, HB, Kentucky. 11, John Simko, E, Augustana. 12, Jerry Miller, E, H. Payne. 13, Ron Greene, G, Wash. St. 14, Bill Cooper, FB, Muskingum. 15, Willie Crafts, G, Texas A&I. 16, Jim Larkin, T, Hillsdale. 17, Chuck Weiss, FB, Colorado. 18, Chick Graning, HB, Georgia Tech. 19, John Hobbs, G, Maryland St. 20, Buck McLeod, T, Baylor. 21, Jim Morgan, HB, Iowa St. Tech. 22, Tom Hackler, E, Tenn. Tech. 23, Tom Jewell, T, Idaho St. 24, E. A. Simms, E, N. Mex. St. 25, Pete Samms, T, Central Okla. 26, Sam Smith, HB, Florence St. 27, Donald Olson, HB, Nebraska. 28, Wayne Lee, G, Colo. St. Col. 29, Archie Cobb, T, Nebraska. 30, Dave Mills, HB, NE Mo. St. Tech.

1962—1, Merlin Olsen, T, Utah St. 2, Jerry Hillebrand, E, Colorado. 3, Charles Holmes, FB, Maryland St. 4, John Furman, QB, Texas Western. 7, John McGeever, HB, Auburn. 8, Elbert Harris, HB, S.E. Louisiana. 9, Larry Jepson, C, Furman. 10, Gale Weidner, QB, Colorado. 11, Mike Kline, G, Oregon St. 13, Bob Cegelski, C, Montana St. 14, Sonny Gibbs, QB, TCU. 15, Bill Loudon, G, Benedict Coll. 16, Gary Ballman, HB, Mich. St. 17, Jerry Tarr, E, Oregon. 18, Pete Schenk, E, Washington St. 20, Mike Martin, E, Washington St. 21, Jim Perkins, T, Colorado. 22, Don Kasso, HB, Oregon St. 23, Ken Tureaud, HB, Michigan. 24, Neil Thomas, G, Hillsdale. 25, Dave Edwards, E, Auburn. 26, Jim Roberts, T, Mississippi. 27, A. Von Sonn, C, UCLA. 28, Paul Holmes, T, Georgia. 29, Lynn Hoyem, C, Long Beach St. 30, Walter Mince, HB, Arizona. 31, Bill Williamson, T, Bakersfield JC. 32, Vester Flanagan, T, Humboldt St. 33, Duane Allen, E, Mt. S.A. Coll. 34, S. Stonebraker, E, Detroit.

1963—1, K. Alexander, HB, UCLA. 2a, (NY), Ray Poage, FB, Texas. 2b, Tom Nomina, T, Miami (O.). 3, Tommy Janik, HB, Texas A&I. 4, Lou Slaby, LB, Pittsburgh. 5, Ray Mansfield, C, Washington. 6, Anton Peters, T, Florida. 7a, (San Diego), M. Slaughter, QB, Louisiana Tech. 7b, Paul Flatley, E, Northwestern. 8a, (Buf.), H. Dixon, FB, Florida A&M. 8b, John Griffin, HB, Memphis St. 9, Marv Fleming, E, Utah. 10a, Lonnie Sanders, HB, Michigan St. 10b, (Hous.), Pat Richter, E, Wisconsin. 11, Billy Joe, FB, Villanova. 12, John Gamble, E, U. of Pacific. 13, James Maples, C, Baylor. 15, W. Freeman, E, North Texas. 16, Dave Crossan, G, Maryland. 17, Bob Paremora, HB, Florida A&M. 18, Charles Mitchell, HB, Washington. 19a, Frank Baker, FB, Toledo. 19b, (Dallas), Bruce Starling, HB, Florida. 20, Dan Grimm, G, Colorado. 21, Ross Nolan, E, NE Louisiana. 22, Dave Mathiesen, QB, Washington St. 23, Billy Mooty, HB, Arkansas. 24, C. B. Simons, LB, Stanford. 25, Forest Farmer, LB, Purdue. 26, Monte Day, T, Fresno St. 27, John Sellers, T, Bakersfield JC. 28, Bill Reddell, HB, Occidental. 29, Kern Carson, HB, San Diego St.

ALL-TIME DRAFT CHOICES (CONTINUED)

1964—1, Bob Brown, T, Nebraska. 3, Marv Woodson, DB, Indiana. 3a, Matt Snorton, DE-E, Michigan St. 6, Don Shackleford, T, Pacific. 6a, Al Denson, FL, Florida A&M. 7, Ray Kubala, C-T, Texas A&M. 7a, Jerry Richardson, LB, W. Texas St. 8, W. Hilgenberg, G-LB, Iowa. 9, John Mims, T, Rice. 12, Paul Krause, DB, Iowa. 13, Charley Parker, G, So. Mississippi. 14, Bob Hayes, HB, Florida A&M. 15, Chuck Logan, E, Northwestern. 16, Bob Cherry, E, Wittenburg. 17, J. McNaughton, E, Utah St. 18, George Mira, QB, Miami. 19, Odell Barry, FL, Findlay. 21, Dick Herzing, T, Drake. 22, Gary Lewis, HB, Arizona St. 23, Ken Brusvan, T, Oregon St. 24, Mickey Bitsko, LB, Dayton. 25, Jim Jones, E, Wisconsin. 26, Bob Berry, QB, Oregon.

1965—2, Dick Butkus, LB, Illinois. 3, Glen Ressler, C, Penn St. 4, Geo. Donnelly, DB, Illinois. 5a, Bob Breitenstein, T, Tulsa. 5b, Max Leetzow, DT, Idaho. 6, Tom Wilhelm, T, Syracuse. 7, Jim Garcia, DE, Purdue. 8, John Holman, G, Wisconsin. 9, Gary Bussell, DB, Georgia Tech. 10, Gene Jeter, LB, Arkansas AM&N. 11, Tom Vaughan, HB, Iowa St. 12, Tom Myers, QB, Northwestern. 13, Mike Strofalino, LB, Villanova. 14, John Frick, G, Ohio U. 15, Jeff Jordan, DB, Tulsa. 16, Brian Schweda, T, Kansas. 18, Larry Dupree, HB, Florida. 19, R. Oelschlager, HB, Kansas. 20, Terry Metchner, G, Albion.

1966—1, Jerry Shay, T, Purdue. 2, Freeman White, E, Nebraska. 3, Bob Hadrick, E, Purdue. 4, Randy Johnson, QB, Texas A&I. 5, Billy Clay, DB, Mississippi. 6, James Fulgham, T, Minnesota. 7, Jerry Jone, G, Bowling Green. 7a, (Buf.), Scotty Glacken, QB, Duke. 8, Goldie Sellers, DB, Grambling. 9, Ron Sbranti, LB, Utah St. 10, Larry Cox, T, Abilene CC. 11, James Burns, G, Northwestern. 13, Eric Crabtree, DB, Pittsburgh. 14, Fred Forsberg, DT, Washington. 15, Mike Ringer, DB, Oklahoma. 16, Frank Rogers, K, Colorado. 17, Gary Eickman, DE, Illinois. 18, Tom Talaga, T, Notre Dame. 19, Tom Coughlin, DE, Miami. 20, Cliff Hysell, T, Montana St.

1967—1, Floyd Little, HB, Syracuse. 2, Thomas Beer, TE, Houston. 3a, Mike Current, T, Ohio State. 3b, Geo. Goeddeke, C, Notre Dame. 4, C. Cunningham, DE, Houston. 5a, Fran Lynch, FB, Hofstra. 5b, John Huard, LB, Maine. 6, Neal Sweeney, E, Tulsa. 7, Frank Richter, G, Georgia. 8, Tom Cassese, E, C. W. Post. 9, James Summers, DB, Michigan St. 10, Paul Krause, QB, Dubuque. 11, Lou Andrus, DE, Brigham Young. 13, Dennis Furjanic, DE, Houston. 14, Tom Francisco, HB, Virginia Tech. 15, Donald Smith, G, Florida A&M. 16, Jack Lentz, QB, Holy Cross. 17, W. Valley, Jr., T, Oregon St.

1968—2, Curley Culp, DE, Arizona St. 3a, Garrett Ford, RB, West Virginia. 3b, (K.C.), Robert Vaughan, T, Mississippi. 4b, (Miami), Gordon Lambert, LB, Tenn. Martin. 4c, (K.C.), Drake Garrett, DB, Michigan St. 4d, (Cincy), Gus Holloman, DB, Houston. 8, Steve Holloway, DB, Weber St. 9, Paul Smith, LB, New Mexico. 10, Bob Langford, T, Middle Tenn. 12, Robert Hendrix, T, Mississippi. 13, Charles Greer, DB, Colorado. 14, Marlin Briscoe, RB, Omaha. 15, Jeff Kuhman, LB, Vermont. 16, Adin Brown, LB, William & Mary. 17, Steve Grady, RB, So. California.

1969—2, Grady Cavness, DB, Texas-El Paso. 3, Bill Thompson, DB, Maryland St. 4a, Mike Schnitker, LB, Colorado (From Boston thru K.C.). 4b, Edward Hayes, DB, Morgan St. 5, Frank Quayle, RB, Virginia. 6a, (Buf.), Wandy Williams, RB, Hofstra. 6b, Mike Coleman, RB, Tampa. 7, Al Giffin, TE, Auburn. 9, Henry Jones, RB, Grambling. 10, Jim Smith, DB, Utah St. 11, Alan Pastrana, QB, Maryland. 12, Wes Plummer, DB, Arizona St. 13, John Sias, SE, Georgia Tech. 14, Gary Crane, LB, Arkansas St. 15, Errol Kahoun, G, Miami (O.). 16, Billy Woods, DB, No. Texas St. 17, Buster O'Brien, QB, Richmond.

1970—1, Bob Anderson, RB, Colorado. 2, Alden Roche, DE, Southern. 3, John Kohler, T, South Dakota. 4, Jerry Hendren, WR, Idaho. 5, Bill McKoy, LB, Purdue. 6, John Mosier, TE, Kansas. 7, R. Montgomery, CB, Weber St. 8, (KC), L. Porter, RB, Southern. 9, D. Washington, LB, Alcorn A&M. 10, M. Fullerton, DT, Tuskegee Inst. 11, Cleve Bryant, DB, Ohio University. 12, Greg Jones, RB, Wisconsin St. 13, Jim McKoy, CB, Parsons College. 14, Jeff Slipp, LB, Brigham Young. 15, Maher Barakat, K, So. Dakota Tech. 16, Bob Stewart, QB, Northern Ariz. 17, Frank Kalfoss, K, Montana St.

1971—1, M. Montgomery, OT, So. California. 2, Dwight Harrison, WR, Texas A&I. 4a, Lyle Alzado, DE, Yankton Col. 4b, C. Johnson, CB, Alcorn A&M. 6, Howard Phillips, C, Michigan St. 7, Doug Adams, CB, Ohio St. 8, Tom Beard, LB, Michigan St. 9, John Handy, LB, Purdue. 10, Carlis Harris, WR, Idaho St. 11, Roger Roitsch, DT, Rice. 12, Floyd Franks, WR, Mississippi. 13, Craig Blackford, QB, Evansville. 14, Tommy Lyons, C, Georgia. 15, Lawrence James, RB, Norfolk St. 16, Steve Thompson, DT, Minnesota. 17, Jack Simcsak, P-K, Virginia Tech.

ALL-TIME DRAFT CHOICES (CONTINUED)

1972—1, Riley Odoms, TE, Houston. 3, Bill Phillips, LB, Arkansas St. 4, (Minn.), Tom Graham, LB, Oregon. 5, (Phila.), Jim Krieg, WR, Washington. 8, Ronnie Estay, LB, LSU. 9, Floyd Priester, DB, Boston U. 10, Richard Wilkins, DE, Maryland St. 11, Larry Brunson, WR, Colorado. 12, R. McDougall, DB, Weber St. 13, Bob Warner, RB, Bloomsburg St. 14, Jerome Kundich, G, UTEP. 15, Skip Parmenter, DT, Massachusetts. 16, Tom Bougus, RB, Boston College. 17, Lou Harris, RB, Southern California.

1973—1, Otis Armstrong, RB, Purdue. 2, Barney Chavous, DE, S. Carolina St. 3a, Paul Howard, OG, Brigham Young. 3b, John Wood, DT, LSU. 4, Tom Jackson, LB, Louisville. 5, Charles McTorry, DB, Tennessee St. 7a, Mike Askea, OT, Stanford. 7b, John Grant, DE, So. California. 9, Lyle Blackwood, DB, Texas Christian. 10, Al Marshall, WR, Boise State. 11, Elton Brown, DT, Utah State. 12, Jim O'Malley, LB, Notre Dame. 13a, Ed Smith, DE, Colorado Col. 13b, Ed White, RB, Tulsa. 14, John Hufnagel, QB, Penn State. 15, Calvin Jones, DB, Washington. 16a, Oliver Ross, RB, Alabama A&M. 16b, Ken Muhlbeier, C, Idaho State. 17, Kenneth Morgan, TE, Elon College.

1974—1, Randy Gradishar, LB, Ohio State. 2, Carl Wafer, DT, Tenn. State. 3, Claudie Minor, T, San Diego St. 4, Ozell Collier, CB, Colorado. 6a, John Winesberry, WR, Stanford. 10, Charlie Johnson, CB, Southern. 11, Steve Buchanan, RB, Holy Cross. 12, Larry Cameron, LB, Alcorn A&M. 13, John Clerkley, DT, Fort Valley St. 14, Rich Marks, DS, No. Illinois. 15, Piel Pennington, QB, U. of Mass. 16, Darrell Austin, T, So. Carolina. 17, Boyd Brown, TE, Alcorn A&M.

1975—1, Louis Wright, CB, San Jose St. 2, Charlie Smith, DE, N. Carolina Cen. 3a, (N.Y.G.) Mike Franckowiak, QB-KS, Central Mich. 3b, Drew Mahalic, LB, Notre Dame. 4a, (KC) Steve Taylor, DB, Georgia. 4b, Rick Upchurch, WR-Spec., Minnesota. 5a, Stan Rogers, T, Maryland. 5b, Rubin Carter, DT, Miami (Fla.). 8, Steve Foley, S-QB, Tulane. 9, Roussell Williams, DB, Arizona. 10, (KC), Hank Englehardt, C, Pacific. 10, Steve Haggerty, WR, Nev.-Las Vegas. 12, Harry Walters, LB, Maryland. 13, Eric Penick, RB, Notre Dame. 14, Jerry Arnold, G, Oklahoma. 15, Ken Shelton, TE, Virginia. 16, Bubba Bridges, DT, Colorado. 17, Lester Sherman, Ret. Spec., Albany St.

1976—1, Tom Glassic, G, Virginia. 2, Kurt Knoff, S, Kansas. 4, Craig Penrose, QB, San Diego St. 5, Lonnie Perrin, RB, Illinois. 8, James Betterson, RB, North Carolina. 9a, Jim Czirr, C, Michigan. 9b, (St. Louis), Jim Lisko, LB, Arkansas St. 10, Art Gilliam, DE, Grambling. 11, Greg Pittman, LB, Iowa St. 12, Randy Moore, DT, Arizona St. 13, Donnie McGraw, CB, Houston. 14, Larry Evans, LB, Mississippi Col. 15, Wilbur Summers, KS, Louisville. 16, John Huddleston, LB, Utah. 17, Randy Cozens, LB, Pittsburgh.

1977—1, Steve Schindler, G, Boston College. 2, Rob Lytle, RB, Michigan. 4, Bill Bryan, C, Duke. 7, Larry Swider, P, Pittsburgh. 8, Calvin Culliver, RB, Alabama. 9, Charles Jackson, NT, Washington. 10, Orna Middlebrook, WR, Arkansas state. 11, Phil Heck, LB, California. 12, Scott Levenhagen, TE, Western Illinois.

1978—1, Don Latimer, DT, Miami (Fla.). 2, Bill Gay, TE, USC. 8, Frank Smith, OT, Alabama A&M. 10, Vince Kinney, WR, Maryland. 11, Lacy Brumley, OT, Clemson.

1979—1, Kelvin Clark, T, Nebraska. 3, Bruce Radford, DE, Grambling. 4, Charles Jefferson, DB, McNeese State. 5, Rick Leach, QB, Michigan. 6, Jeff McIntyre, LB, Arizona State. 7, Luke Prestridge, P, Baylor. 9, Charley Taylor, WR, Rice. 11, Zachary Dixon, RB, Temple. 12, David Jacobs, K, Syracuse.

1980—2, Rulon Jones, DE, Utah State. 3, Larry Carter, DB, Kentucky. 4, Rick Parros, RB, Utah State. 5a, Mike Harden, S, Michigan. 5b, Laval Short, NT, Colorado. 6, Keith Bishop, G, Baylor. 7, John Havekost, G, Nebraska. 8, Don Coleman, WR, Oregon. 9, Greg Bracelin, LB, California. 10, Virgil Seay, Ret. Spec., Troy State. 11, Phil Farris, WR, North Carolina.

1981—1, Dennis Smith, S, Southern California. 2, Clay Brown, TE, Brigham Young. 4, Mark Herrmann, QB, Purdue. 5, Ken Lanier, T, Florida State. 6, Alvin Lewis, RB, Colorado State. 7, Steve Busick, LB, Southern California. 9, Rusty Olsen, DE, Washington. 11, Pat Walker, WR, Miami (Fla.). 12a, John Hankerd, LB, Notre Dame. 12b, Mandel Robinson, RB, Wyoming.

MAJOR TRADES

1981

Obtained RB Tony Reed from Kansas City for 3rd-1981 and 4th-1982.

1980

Obtained WR Emery Moorehead from New York Giants for 8th-1981.

Obtained RB Don Hardeman from Baltimore for 12th-1980.

Obtained CB Perry Smith from St. Louis for 8th-1980 and 10th-1981.

Obtained RB Lawrence McCutcheon from Los Angeles for future undisclosed draft choice.

Obtained QB Matt Robinson from New York Jets for 1st-1980, 2nd-1980, and QB Craig Penrose.

1979

Obtained 8th-1980 (Coleman) from Baltimore for P Bucky Dilts.

Obtained 2nd-1980 (Jones) and 5th-1980 (Short) and 3rd-1981 (traded to Kansas City) for DE Lyle Alzado.

1978

Obtained OT Tom Neville from New England for 10th-1979.

Obtained DB Charlie West and 6th-1979 (McIntyre) for TE Bill Gay.

Obtained future undisclosed draft choice from Detroit for center Mike Montler.

1977

Obtained RB Jim Jensen from Dallas for 6th-1979.

Obtained OT Andy Maurer from San Francisco for 9th-1978.

Obtained C Mike Montler from Buffalo for 2nd-1979.

Obtained DB Bernard Jackson from Cincinnati for 3rd-1978 and 7th-1978.

Obtained QB Craig Morton from the New York Giants for QB Steve Ramsey and 5th-1978.

1976

Obtained LB Godwin Turk from New York Jets for 5th-1977.

Obtained OT Bill Bain from Green Bay for 3rd-1977.

Obtained 9th-1976 (Likso) from St. Louis for DB Jeff Severson.

1975

Obtained DB Jeff Severson from Houston for 7th-1976.

Obtained past considerations from Kansas City for TE Billy Masters.

Obtained C Phil Olsen from Los Angeles for WR Otto Stowe and 3rd-1976 and 6th-1977.

Obtained DB Clarence Ellis from Atlanta for DB Charles Greer, WR Jerry Simmons and 6th-1976.

Obtained DT Greg Marx and 5th-1975 (Rogers) from Atlanta for OG Larron Jackson.

1974

Obtained 4th-1975 (Taylor) from Kansas City for LB Tom Graham.

Obtained 10th-1975 (Englehardt) from Kansas City for OT Tom Drougas.

Obtained 3rd-1975 (Franckowiak) from New York Giants for RB Joe Dawkins.

Obtained RB Jon Keyworth from Washington for 6th-1975 and 11th-1975.

Obtained DB John Rowser from Pittsburgh for 6th-1974 and 9th-1974.

1973

Obtained LB Ray May from Baltimore for 3rd-1974 and 8th-1974.

Obtained DB Dale Hackbart from St. Louis for 10th-1974.

Obtained LB Bill Laskey from Baltimore for 7th-1974.

Obtained WR Gene Washington from Minnesota for WR Rod Sherman and 5th-1974.

1972

Obtained 3rd-1974 (Minor) and 6th-1974 (traded to Pittsburgh) from Cleveland for QB Don Horn.

Obtained WR Haven Moses from Buffalo for WR Dwight Harrison.

Obtained 3rd-1973 (Howard) from Cleveland for DE Rich Jackson.

Obtained C Bobby Maples from Pittsburgh for 6th-1973.

Obtained OT Rick Sharp from Pittsburgh for 8th-1973.

Obtained DE-OT Lloyd Voss from Pittsburgh for 5th-1973.

Obtained QB Charley Johnson from Houston for 3rd-1973.

Obtained RB Eddie Ray and 3rd-1973 (Wood) from San Diego for DT Dave Costa.

Obtained 7th-1973 (Grant) from Baltimore for TE John Mosier.

MAJOR TRADES (CONTINUED)

Obtained LB Al Andrews from Buffalo for LB Dave Washington.
Obtained 5th-1973 (traded to Pittsburgh) from New Orleans for LB John Huard.

1971

Obtained RB Joe Dawkins from Houston for RB Dickie Post.
Obtained OB Larron Jackson and 5th-1972 from Houston for DB Cleophus Johnson.
Obtained LB Olen Underwood from Houston for OG Bob Young.
Obtained 5th-1972 (Krieg) from Philadelphia for QB Pete Liske.
Obtained RB Dickie Post from San Diego for 2nd-1972.
Obtained QB Steve Ramsey from New Orleans for 4th-1972.
Obtained OT Roger Shoals from Detroit for LB Carl Cunningham.
Obtained QB John Stofa from Miami for 7th-1972.
Obtained DB Butch Byrd from Buffalo for 5th-1972.
Obtained DB Leroy Mitchell from Houston for DB John Charles.
Obtained DB John Charles and 4th-1972 (Graham) from Minnesota for WR Al Denson.
Obtained QB Don Horn from Green Bay for DE Alden Roche and exchange of first round positions in 1972 draft.
Obtained K Jim Turner from New York Jets for K Bobby Howfield.

1970

Obtained DB Cornell Gordon from New York Jets for DB Gus Hollomon.
Obtained TE Jim Whalen from Boston for TE Tom Beer.
Obtained DB Paul Martha from Pittsburgh for C Walter Highsmith and OT Wallace Dickey.
Obtained RB Booker Edgerson from Buffalo for 5th-1972.
Obtained FB Willis Crenshaw from St. Louis for 3rd-1971.
Obtained TE Billy Masters from Buffalo for 5th-1971.
Obtained 8th-1971 (Beard) from Houston for RB Tom Smiley.
Obtained 4th-1971 (Alzado) from Boston for K Charlie Gogolak.

1969

Obtained RB Tom Smiley from Cincinnati for WR Eric Crabtree.
Obtained OT Walt Barnes from Kansas City for 8th-1970.

1968

Obtained a future draft choice from the New York Jets for DB Nemiah Wilson, later cancelled when Wilson was cut by the Jets.
Obtained 4th-1969 (Schnitker) from Kansas City for DT Curley Culp.
Obtained 3rd-1968 (Vaughan) from Kansas City for DB Goldie Sellers.
Obtained 4th-1968 from Kansas City for RB Wendell Hayes.
Obtained 6th-1969 (Williams) from Buffalo for RB Charlie Mitchell.

1967

Obtained QB Steve Tensi for 1st-1968 and 1st-1969.
Obtained OG Dick Tyson, LB Ray Schmutz, DE Rich Jackson from Oakland for WR Lionel Taylor and C Jerry Sturm.
Obtained RB Cookie Gilchrist, QB George Wilson, OG Erinie Park, and DE Earl Faison from Miami for DE Dan LaRose, LB Jerry Hopkins RB Abner Haynes, and 6th-1968.
Obtained WR Bill Cronin from Miami for DT Ray Jacobs.
Obtained DT Dave Costa from Buffalo for 4th-1968.
Obtained DT Rex Mirich and draft choice from Oakland for DB Willie Brown and QB Mickey Slaughter.

1966

Obtained 3rd-1967 (Current) and 5th-1967 (Lynch) from Miami for RB Cookie Gilchrist.
Obtained LB Archie Matsos from Oakland for RB Hewritt Dixon.

1965

Obtained RB Cookie Gilchrist from Buffalo for RB Billy Joe.
Obtained RB Abner Haynes from Kansas City for LB Jim Fraser.

MAJOR TRADES (CONTINUED)

1964

Obtained DT Stan Fanning and draft choice from Oakland for RB Gene Mingo.
Obtained QB Jacky Lee for two years use from Houston for 1st-1965 and DT Bud McFadin.
Obtained LB Marv Matuszak and DB Billy Atkins from Buffalo for C Walt Cudzik.
Obtained DT-K Dick Guesman, DE Ed Cooke, DT Charlie Janerette, OG Sid Fournet and LB Jim Price from New York Jets for DB Bob Zeman, LB Wahoo McDaniel, WR Gene Prebola and DT Gordy Holz.

1962

Obtained RB Bo Dickinson from Dallas for OG Carl Larpenster.
Obtained HB Bob Scarpitto, DB Bob Zeman and OE Luther Hayes from San Diego for cash.

1960

Obtained DB Goose Gonsoulin from Dallas for FB Jack Spikes.

EQUALIZATION, EXPANSION DRAFTS

1976—Expansion Draft: Broncos lost OT Mike Current and DT Bubba Bridges to Tampa Bay and DB Steve Taylor to Seattle.

1968—Expansion Draft: Broncos lost RB Cookie Gilchrist, OG Pat Matson, LB Henry Sorrell, RB Mike Kellogg and DB Lonnie Wright to Cincinnati.

1966—Expansion Draft: Broncos lost LB Tom Erlandson, DE Ed Cooke, OG Tommy Nomina and DB John McGeever to Miami.

1962—AFL Equalization Draft: Broncos obtain OG John Denvir from San Diego, OE Jerry Richardson from San Diego, QB Richie Lucas from Buffalo, DT Ike Lassiter from Dallas and HB Charles Bolden from Houston.

ALL-TIME ROSTER

Bob Adams	TE	Pacific	1975
Kenneth M. Adamson	G	Notre Dame	1960-62
Steve Alexakos	G	San Jose State	1970
Ted Alfien	RB	Springfield College	1969
Elihu (Buddy) Allen	HB	Utah State	1961
Donald R. Allen	FB	Texas	1960
Henry Allison	T	San Diego State	1977
Vaughn S. (Buddy) Alliston	LB	Mississippi	1960
Lyle Alzado	DE	Yankton College	1971-78
David R. Ames	HB	Richmond	1961
Robert Anderson	HB	Colorado	1970-73
Lou Andrus	LB	Brigham Young	1967
Otis Armstrong	RB	Purdue	1973-80
LeFrancis Arnold	G-C	Oregon	1974
Mike Askea	T	Stanford	1973
Billy Atkins	DB	Auburn	1964
Frank Atkinson	DE	Stanford	1964
George Atkinson	S	Morris Brown	1979
Jay Bachman	C	Cincinnati	1968-71
Bill Bain	T	So. California	1976, 1978
Ernie Barnes	G	No. Carolina Col.	1963-64
Walter Barnes	DE	Nebraska	1969-71
Odell Barry	HB	Findlay	1964-65
James Barton	C	Marshall	1961-62
Rick Baska	LB	UCLA	1976-77
Norman Bass	DB	Pacific	1964
Tom Beer	TE	Houston	1967-69
Dave Behrman	C	Michigan State	1967
Henry Bell	HB	No college	1960
Frank Bernardi	DB	Colorado	1960
Lee Bernet	T	Wisconsin	1965-66
Keith Bishop	C-G	Baylor	1980
Gordon Bowdell	WR	Michigan State	1971
Greg Boyd	DE	San Diego State	1980
Greg Bracelin	LB	California	1980
Phil Brady	S	Brigham Young	1969
John Bramlett	LB	Memphis State	1965-66
Don Breaux	QB	McNeese State	1963
Bob Breitenstein	T	Tulsa	1965-67
Marlin Briscoe	QB	Omaha	1968
John W. (Red) Brodnax	FB	Louisiana State	1960
Boyd Brown	TE	Alcorn A&M	1974-76
Hardy Brown	LB	Tulsa	1960
Ken Brown	C	New Mexico	1979
Willie Brown	DB	Grambling	1963-66
Sam Brunelli	G	Colorado St. Col.	1966-71
Larry Brunson	WR	Colorado	1961
Bill Bryan	C-G	Duke	1977-80
Tom Buckman	TE	Texas A&M	1969
Fred Bukaty	FB	Kansas	1961
Bobby Burnett	RB	Arkansas	1969
George Burrell	S	Pennsylvania	1969
Gerry Bussell	DB	Georgia Tech	1965
Bill Butler	LB	San Fernando Valley	1970
George (Butch) Byrd	DB	Boston University	1971
Carter Campbell	DE	Weber State	1971
Larry Canada	FB	Wisconsin	1978-79
Albert R. Carmichael	HB	So. California	1960-61
Paul Carmichael	HB	El Camino JC	1965
Don Carothers	E	Bradley	1960
Kenneth L. Carpenter	E	Oregon State	1960
Rubin Carter	DT	Miami (Fla.)	1975-80
Tim Casey	LB	Oregon	1969
John E. Cash	E	Allen	1961-62
Tom Cassese	DB	C. W. Post	1967
Grady Cavness	CB	Texas-El Paso	1969
Barney Chavous	DE	So. Carolina State	1973-80
Max Choboian	QB	San Fernando State	1966
Tom Cichowski	T	Maryland	1967-68
Ralph Cindrich	LB	Pittsburgh	1974
Kelvin Clark	T	Nebraska	1979-80

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Don Coffey	E	Memphis State	1963
Steve Coleman	DE	Delaware State	1974
Ed Cooke	DE	Maryland	1964-65
Dave Costa	DT	Utah	1967-71
Bill Cottrell	G	Delaware Valley	1972
Larry Cox	DT	Abilene Christian	1966-68
Eric Crabtree	FL	Pittsburgh	1966-68
Gary Crane	LB	Arkansas State	1969
Willis Crenshaw	FB	Kansas State	1970
Ken Criter	LB	Wisconsin	1969-74
Ed Cummings	LB	Stanford	1965
Carl Cunningham	LB	Houston	1967-70
Mike Current	T	Ohio State	1967-75
Eldon V. Danenhauer	T	Pittsburg (Kan.)	1960-65
William A. Danenbauer	E	Emporia College	1960
Dick Davis	RB	Nebraska	1970
Jack T. Davis	T	Arizona	1960
Marvin Davis	DT	Wichita State	1966
Joe Dawkins	RB	Wisconsin	1971-73
Albert E. Day	T	Eastern Michigan	1960
Al Denson	FL	Florida A&M	1964-70
John Denvir	G	Colorado	1962
Wallace Dickey	T	S.W. Texas State	1968-69
Richard L. (Bo) Dickinson	FB	So. Mississippi	1962-63
Doug (Bucky) Dilts	P	Georgia	1977-78
Hewritt Dixon	FB-TE	Florida A&M	1963-65
Zachary Dixon	RB	Temple	1979
Joe DiVito	QB	Boston College	1968
Jack Dolbin	WR	Wake Forest	1975-79
Tom Domres	DT	Wisconsin	1971-72
Richard A. (Skip) Doyle	HB	Ohio State	1960
Tom Drougas	T	Oregon	1974
Rick Duncan	K	Eastern Montana	1967
Pete Duranko	DE	Notre Dame	1967-70, 72-74
Booker Edgeron	CB	Western Illinois	1970
Ron Egloff	TE	Wisconsin	1977-80
Jim Elfrid	LB	Colorado State	1961
John Embree	WR	Compton JC	1969-70
George Hunter Enis	QB	Texas Christian	1962
John P. Epperson	E	Adams State	1960
Thomas D. Erlandson	LB	Washington State	1962-65
Mike Ernst	QB	Cal-Fullerton	1972
Terry Erwin	HB	Boston College	1968
Jay Dale Evans	HB	Kansas State	1961
Larry Evans	LB	Mississippi College	1976-80
Stan Fanning	DE	Idaho	1964
Miller Farr	DB	Wichita State	1965
Billy Ray Fletcher	E	Memphis State	1966
Steve Foley	DB	Tulane	1976-80
Garrett Ford	FB	West Virginia	1968
Fred Forsberg	LB	Washington	1968, 70-73
Jason Franci	E	Santa Barbara	1966
Mike Franckowiak	RB	Central Michigan	1975-76
James G. Fraser	LB-P	Wisconsin	1962-64
Al Frazier	HB	Florida A&M	1961-63
George Gaiser	T	Southern Methodist	1968
Bob Gaiters	HB	New Mexico State	1963
Drake Garrett	DB	Michigan State	1968-70
Charles E. Gavin	DE	Tennessee State	1960-63
Bob Geddes	LB	UCLA	1972
Jack Gehrke	WR	Utah	1971
Cookie Gilchrist	FB	No college	1965, 1967
Scotty Glacken	QB	Duke	1966-67
Glenn Glass	DB	Tennessee	1966
Tom Glassic	G	Virginia	1976-80
George Goeddeke	G	Notre Dame	1967-72
Austin (Goose) Gonsoulin	DB	Baylor	1960-66
John Gonzaga	G	No college	1966

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Brian Goodman	G	UCLA	1975
Harvey Goodman	G	Colorado	1976
Cornell Gorden	CB	No. Carolina A&T	1970-72
Randy Gradishar	LB	Ohio State	1974-80
Tom Graham	LB	Oregon	1972-74
John Grant	DT-DE	So. California	1973-79
Charles Greer	DB	Colorado	1968-74
James D. Greer	E	Elizabeth, N.C. State	1960
John Griffin	HB	Memphis State	1964-66
Bill Groman	HB-E	Heidelberg	1963
Dick Guesman	T-K	West Virginia	1964
Donald Gulseth	LB	North Dakota	1966
Melwood N. (Buzz) Guy	G	Duke	1961-62
Dale Hackbart	S	Wisconsin	1973
Mike Haffner	E	UCLA	1968-70
Steve Haggerty	DB	Colorado	1975
Wayne Hammond	DT	Montana State	1976
Billy Hardee	DB	Virginia Tech	1976
Mike Harden	S	Michigan	1980
Tony Harris	WR	Toledo	1972
Dwight Harrison	WR	Texas A&I	1971-72
Maurice Harvey	DB	Ball State	1978, 1980
Johnny Ray Hatley	T	Sul Ross State	1960
Arthur A. Hauser	T	Xavier	1961
Wendell Hayes	HB	Humboldt State	1965-67
Abner Haynes	HB	North Texas State	1965-66
Alfred Haywood	RB	Bethune-Cookman	1975
Jerry Hendren	WR	Idaho	1970
Gary Henson	E	Colorado	1964
Lonnie Hepburn	CB	Texas Southern	1974
George W. Herring	QB-P	So. Mississippi	1960-61
Bo Hickey	FB	Maryland	1967
Walter Highsmith	C	Florida A&M	1968-69
Jack Hill	HB	Utah State	1961
George Hoey	DB	Michigan	1975
John Hoffman	DE	Hawaii	1972
John Hohman	G	Wisconsin	1965-66
Gus Holloman	DB	Houston	1968-69
Gordon Holz	DT	Minnesota	1960-63
Jerry Hopkins	LB	Texas A&M	1963-66
Don Horn	QB	San Diego State	1971-72
Paul Howard	G	Brigham Young	1973-75, 1977-80
Bobby Howfield	K	No college	1968-70
John Huard	LB	Maine	1967-69
Robert Hudson	LB	Clemson	1960-61
John Hufnagel	QB	Penn State	1974-75
Bob Humphreys	K	Wichita State	1967-68
Glenn Hyde	G-T	Pittsburgh	1976-80
Martin Imhof	DE	San Diego State	1976
Jerry Inman	DT	Oregon	1966-71, 73
Bernard Jackson	DB	Washington State	1977-80
Larron Jackson	G	Missouri	1971-74
Richard Jackson	DE	Southern	1967-72
Tom Jackson	LB	Louisville	1973-80
Frank Jackunas	C	Detroit	1963
Ray Jacobs	DT	Howard Payne	1963-66
Charlie Janerette	DT	Penn State	1964-65
Tom Janik	DB-P	Texas A&I	1963-64
Pete Jaquess	DB	E. New Mexico	1967-70
Jim Jensen	RB	Iowa	1977, 1979-80
William Jessup	E	Southern California	1960
Eugene Jeter	LB	Arkansas AM&N	1965-67
William (Billy) Joe	FB	Villanova	1963-64
Charley Johnson	QB	New Mexico State	1972-75
Calvin Jones	CB	Washington	1973-76
Henry Jones	RB	Grambling	1969
Jimmy Jones	WR	Wisconsin	1968
Rulon Jones	DE	Utah State	1980
Larry Jordan	E-LB	Youngstown	1962-64
Donald G. Joyce	E	Tulane	1962

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Larry Kaminski	C	Purdue	1966-73
Bob Kampa	DT	California	1974
Bill Keating	DT	Michigan	1966-67
Mike Kellogg	FB	Santa Clara	1966-67
Jon Keyworth	RB	Colorado	1974-80
Jim Kiick	RB	Wyoming	1976-77
Donald W. King	E	Kentucky	1960
Vince Kinney	WR	Maryland	1978-79
Jeff Knapple	QB	Northern Colorado	1980
Robert E. Konovsky	E	Wisconsin	1961
Jim Krieg	WR	Washington	1972
Gary Kroner	K	Wisconsin	1965-67
Ray Kubala	C	Texas A&M	1964-67
Frank W. Kuchta	C	Notre Dame	1960
Aaron Kyle	CB	Wyoming	1980
Ron Lamb	FB	South Carolina	1968
Gordon Lambert	LB	Tennessee-Martin	1968-69
Patsy C. Lamberti, Jr.	LB	Richmond	1961
Dan LaRose	DE	Missouri	1966
Carl James Larpenter	G	Texas	1960-61
Bill Larson	TE	Colorado State	1980
Bill Laskey	LB	Michigan	1973-74
Isaac T. Lassiter	E	St. Augustine	1962-64
Kit Lathrop	DE	Arizona State	1979
Don Latimer	DT	Miami (Fla.)	1978-80
Jim Leclair	QB	C. W. Post	1967-68
Roger LeClerc	C	Trinity (Conn.)	1967
Jacky Lee	QB	Cincinnati	1964-65
Max Leetzow	DE	Idaho	1965-66
Mike Lemon	LB	Kansas	1975
Jack Lentz	S	Holy Cross	1967-68
Darrell Lester	FB	McNeese State	1965-66
Herman Lewis	DE	Virginia Union	1968
Hub Lindsey	HB	Wyoming	1968
Pete Liske	QB	Penn State	1969-70
Floyd Little	HB	Syracuse	1967-75
Tommy Luke	LB	Mississippi	1968
Fran Lynch	HB	Hofstra	1967-75
Tom Lyons	G	Georgia	1971-76
Rob Lytle	RB	Michigan	1977-80
Ernest G. (Pete) Mangum	LB	Mississippi	1960
Brison Manor	DE	Arkansas	1977-80
Bobby Maples	C	Baylor	1972-78
Charles E. Marshall	HB	Oregon State	1962
Paul Martha	S	Pittsburgh	1970
Billy Masters	TE	LSU	1970-74
Pat Matson	G	Oregon	1966-67
Archie Matsos	LB	Michigan State	1966
Jack Mattox	T	Fresno State	1961-62
Marv Matuszak	LB	Tulsa	1964
Andy Maurer	T	Oregon	1977
Ray May	LB	So. California	1973-75
Brendan McCarthy	FB	Boston College	1968-69
John McCormick	QB	Massachusetts	1963, 65-66, 68
Robert V. McCullough	G	Colorado	1962-65
Lawrence McCutcheon	RB	Colorado State	1980
Ed (Wahoo) McDaniel	LB	Oklahoma	1961-63
Lewis B. (Bud) McFadin	DT	Texas	1960-63
John McGeever	DB	Auburn	1962-65
Bill McKoy	LB	Purdue	1970-72
James R. McMillin	DB	Colorado State	1960-62, 1964-65
Robert McNamara	HB	Minnesota	1960-61
Eugene Mingo	HB-K	No college	1960-64
Claudia Minor	T	San Diego State	1974-80
Tommy Earl Minter	HB	Baylor	1962
Rex Mirich	DE	Northern Arizona	1967-69
Alvin Mitchell	S-WR	Morgan State	1970
Charlie Mitchell	HB	Washington	1963-67
Leroy Mitchell	CB	Texas Southern	1971-73
Marv Montgomery	T	So. California	1971-76
Randy Montgomery	CB	Weber State	1971-73

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Mike Montler	C	Colorado	1977
Alex Moore	HB	Norfolk State	1968
Bob Moore	TE	Stanford	1978
Leroy Moore	DE	Fort Valley (Ga.)	1964-65
Randy Moore	DT	Arizona State	1976
Emery Moorehead	WR-RB	Colorado	1980
Craig Morton	QB	California	1977-80
Haven Moses	WR	San Diego State	1972-80
John Mosier	TE	Kansas	1971
Bobby Moten	TE	Bishop College	1968
Chip Myrtle	LB	Maryland	1967-72
Rob Nairne	LB	Oregon State	1977-80
Tom Neville	T	Mississippi State	1978
Ron Nery	E	Wisconsin	1963
Lee (Mike) Nichols	C	Arkansas A&M	1960-61
John Nocera	LB	Iowa	1963
Tom Nomina	T	Miami (Ohio)	1963-65
Ben Norman	RB	Colorado State	1980
Philip H. Nugent	HB	Tulane	1961
Tom Oberg	S	Portland State	1968-69
Riley Odoms	TE	Houston	1972-80
Phil Olsen	C	Utah State	1975-76
Harold Olson	T	Clemson	1963-64
John Olszewski	FB	California	1962
Jim O'Malley	LB	Notre Dame	1973-75
Chris Pane	DB	Chico State	1976-79
Ernie Park	G	McMurry State	1967
Charlie Parker	G	So. Mississippi	1965
Don Parish	LB	Stanford	1972
Al Pastrana	QB	Maryland	1969-70
Craig Penrose	QB	San Diego State	1976-79
James W. Perkins	T	Colorado	1962-64
Lonnie Perrin	RB	Illinois	1976-78
Anton Peters	T	Florida	1963
John Pitts	S	Arizona State	1973-75
Dave Pivec	TE	Notre Dame	1969
Bobby Ply	DB	Baylor	1967
Dickie Post	RB	Houston	1971
Randy Poltl	DB	Stanford	1975-77
Eugene Prebola	E	Boston University	1961-63
Steve Preece	S	Oregon State	1972
Dave Preston	HB	Bowling Green	1978-80
Luke Prestridge	P	Baylor	1979-80
James Price	LB	Auburn	1964
Errol Prisby	DB	Cincinnati	1967
John J. Pyeatt	HB	No college	1960
Frank Quayle	RB	Virginia	1969
Bruce Radford	DE	Grambling	1979
Steve Ramsey	QB	North Texas State	1971-76
Leo T. Reed	T	Colorado State	1961
Randy Rich	DB	New Mexico	1977
Bob Richardson	DB	UCLA	1966
Frank Richter	LB	Georgia	1967-69
Larry Riley	DB	Salem College	1977
Joe Rizzo	LB	Merchant Marines	1974-80
Matt Robinson	QB	Georgia	1980
Alden Roche	DE	Southern University	1970
William E. Roehnel	LB	Bradley	1961-62
Stan Rogers	T	Maryland	1975
David S. Rolle	FB	Oklahoma	1960-61
Albert Romine	HB	Florence State	1960
Oliver Ross	RB	Alabama A&M	1973-75
Tobin Rote	QB	Rice	1966
Justin D. Rowland	HB	Texas Christian	1962
John Rowser	DB	Michigan	1974-76
Jim Ryan	LB	William and Mary	1979-80
Tom Rychlec	E	American International	1963
George Saimes	S	Michigan State	1970-72

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Ron Sbranti	LB	Utah State	1966
Robert Scarpitto	WR-P	Notre Dame	1962-67
Carl Schaukowitch	G	Penn State	1975
Steve Schindler	G	Boston College	1977-78
Mike Schnitker	G	Colorado	1969-74
John Schultz	WR	Maryland	1976-78
Lew Scott	DB	Oregon State	1966
James H. Sears	HB	So. California	1960-61
Goldie Sellers	DB	Grambling	1966-67
Jeff Severson	DB	Long Beach State	1975
Don Shackelford	G	Pacific	1964
Rick Sharp	T	Washington	1972
George H. Shaw	QB	Oregon	1962
Rod Sherman	WR	Southern California	1972
Roger T. Shoals	T	Maryland	1971
Laval Short	DT	Colorado	1980
Jerry Simmons	WR	Bethune-Cookman	1971-74
Leon Simmons	LB	Grambling	1963
Mike Simone	LB	Stanford	1972-74
Jack M. Simpson	LB	Mississippi	1961
John Sklopan	HB	So. Mississippi	1963
Milton (Mickey) Slaughter	QB	Louisiana Tech	1963-66
Tom Smiley	RB	Lamar Tech	1969
Art Smith	LB	Hawaii	1980
Daniel Eugene Smith	HB	Northeast Oklahoma	1961
Don Smith	G	Florida A&M	1967
Ed Smith	DE	Colorado College	1973-75
Harold Smith	T	UCLA	1960
Hugh B. Smith	E	Kansas	1962
James Smith	S	Utah State	1969
Paul Smith	DT-DE	New Mexico	1968-78
Perry Smith	DB	Colorado State	1980
Willie Smith	G	Michigan	1960
Matt Snorton	TE	Michigan State	1964
Henry Sorrell	LB	Chattanooga	1967
Jerry N. Stalcup	LB	Wisconsin	1961-62
Bruce Starling	HB	Florida	1963
Larry Steele	P	Santa Rosa	1974
Fred Steinfort	K	Boston College	1979-80
James E. Stinnette	FB-LB	Oregon State	1961-62
Jesse Stokes	DB	Corpus Christi	1968
Don E. Stone	FB	Arkansas	1961-64
Otto Stowe	WR	Iowa State	1974
Robert J. Stransky	HB	Colorado	1960
David Strickland	T-G	Memphis State	1960
Dave Studdard	T	Texas	1979-80
Jerry G. Sturm	C-T-G	Illinois	1961-66
Jim Summers	DB	Michigan State	1967
Neal Sweeney	FL	Tulsa	1967
Bob Swenson	LB	California	1975-79
Gene Sykes	DB	Louisiana State	1967
George Tarasovic	DE	Louisiana State	1967
Jerry L. Tarr	E	Oregon	1962
Lionel T. Taylor	E	New Mexico Highlands	1960-66
Steve Tensi	QB	Florida State	1967-70
Jim Thibert	LB	Toledo	1965
Earlie Thomas	DB	Colorado State	1975
Arland Thompson	G	Baylor	1980
Bill Thompson	DB	Maryland State	1969-80
Jim Thompson	DT	Southern Illinois	1965
Dave Tobey	LB	Oregon	1968
Jerry Traynham	HB	Southern California	1961
Frank Tripucka	QB	Notre Dame	1960-63
Godwin Turk	LB	Southern Univ.	1976-78
Clem Turner	RB	Cincinnati	1970-72
Jim Turner	K	Utah State	1971-79
Maurice Tyler	S	Morgan State	1973-74
Richard Tyson	G	Tulsa	1967
Rick Upchurch	WR	Minnesota	1975-80
Olen Underwood	LB	Texas	1971
Bill Van Heusen	WR-P	Maryland	1968-76

ALL-TIME ROSTER (CONTINUED)

Bob Vaughan	G	Mississippi	1968
Lloyd Voss	T	Nebraska	1972
Bob Wade	CB	Morgan State	1970
Clarence Walker	HB	Southern Illinois	1963
Dave Washington	LB	Alcorn A&M	1971
Dave Washington	E	Southern California	1968
Gene Washington	WR	Michigan State	1973
Steve Watson	WR	Temple	1979-80
Norris Weese	QB	Mississippi	1976-79
Theodore A. Wegert	FB	No college	1961
Bill West	CB	Tennessee State	1972
Charlie West	DB	UTEP	1978-79
Willie West	DB	Oregon	1964
Max Wettstein	E	Florida State	1966
Jim Whalen	TE	Boston College	1970-71
Andre White	TE	Florida A&M	1967
Jim White	DE	Colorado State	1976
Harold Williams	HB	Miami (Ohio)	1961
Wandy Williams	RB	Hofstra	1969-70
Nemiah Wilson	DB	Grambling	1965-67
Malcolm Richard Wood	QB	Auburn	1962
James Earl Wright	HB	Memphis State	1964
Jim Wright	TE	Texas Christian	1980
Lonnie Wright	DB	Colorado State	1966-67
Louis Wright	DB	San Jose State	1975-80
William G. Yelverton	E	Mississippi	1960
Joseph A. Young	E	Arizona	1960-61
Robert Young	G	Howard Payne	1966-70
E. Robert Zeman	DB	Wisconsin	1962-63

Schools Represented

Colorado 16, Wisconsin 15, Oregon 11, Colorado State 10, Maryland 10, Southern California 10, Michigan State 8, Notre Dame 8, Baylor 7, Michigan 7, Mississippi 7, San Diego State 7, Stanford 7, Utah State 7, Boston College 6, Florida A & M 6, Grambling 6, Memphis State 6, Oregon State 6, UCLA 6, California 5, Houston 5, Texas 5, Tulsa 5, Washington 5, Auburn 4, Cincinnati 4, Georgia 4, Kansas 4, Louisiana State 4, Nebraska 4, Penn State 4, Pittsburgh 4, Southern Mississippi 4, 18 with three each, 38 with two each, 90 with one each. Seven players did not attend college.

NOTE: 175 schools are represented.

Service

TWELVE YEARS — Bill Thompson 1969-1980.

ELEVEN YEARS — Paul Smith 1967-78.

TEN YEARS — None.

NINE YEARS — Mike Current 1967-75; Floyd Little 1967-75; Fran Lynch 1967-75; Haven Moses 1972-80; Riley Odoms 1972-80; Jim Turner 1971-79; Billy Van Heusen 1968-76.

EIGHT YEARS — Lyle Alzado 1971-78; Otis Armstrong 1973-80; Barney Chavous 1973-80; Tom Jackson 1973-80; Larry Kaminski 1966-73.

SEVEN YEARS — Al Denson 1964-70; Pete Duranko 1967-70, 1972-74; Goose Gonsoulin 1960-66; Randy Gradishar 1974-80; John Grant 1973-79; Charles Greer 1968-74; Paul Howard 1973-75, 1977-80; Jerry Inman 1966-71, 1973; Jon Keyworth 1974-80; Bobby Maples 1972-78; Claudie Minor 1974-80; Joe Rizzo 1974-80; Lionel Taylor 1960-66.

SIX YEARS — Sam Brunelli 1966-71; Rubin Carter 1975-80; Ken Criter 1969-74; George Goeddeke 1967-72; Richard Jackson 1967-72; Tommy Lyons 1971-76; Marv Montgomery 1971-76; Chip Myrtle 1967-72; Steve Ramsey 1971-76; Bob Scarpitto 1962-67; Mike Schnitker 1969-74; Jerry Sturm 1961-66; Rick Upchurch 1975-80; Louis Wright 1975-80.

FIVE YEARS — Dave Costa 1967-71; Jack Dolbin 1975-79; Larry Evans 1976-80; Steve Foley 1976-80; Fred Forsberg 1968, 1970-73; Tom Glassic 1976-80; Glenn Hyde 1976-80; Billy Masters 1970-74; Gene Mingo 1960-64; Charlie Mitchell 1963-67; Bob Swenson 1975-79; Bob Young 1966-70.

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS

1959

AUGUST 14—First American Football League organizational meeting held in Chicago. Denver, with Bob Howsam as its principal owner, named as a charter member along with New York, Dallas, Los Angeles, Minneapolis and Houston. **NOVEMBER 22**—First player selection draft held through 32 rounds. Denver's first pick is Roger LeClerc, center, Trinity. **NOVEMBER 30**—Joe Foss named American League Commissioner. **DECEMBER 1**—Dean Griffing named general manager of the Broncos. **DECEMBER 2**—Second player selection draft of 20 rounds held.

1960

JANUARY 1—Frank Filchok named first head coach of the Broncos. **JANUARY 30**—Denver placed in AFL's western division with Dallas, Oakland and Los Angeles. **JUNE 9**—AFL signs five-year television contract with the American Broadcasting Company. **JULY**—First Bronco training camp opens at Colorado School of Mines. **SEPTEMBER 9**—After losing all five pre-season games, the Broncos become the first AFL victor when they defeat the Patriots in Boston in history's first AFL game, 13-10. Attendance—21,597. **SEPTEMBER 23**—Lionel Taylor, a cut of the Chicago Bears, plays first game for Broncos in New York. **OCTOBER 2**—Broncos play first home game in Bears Stadium, defeat Oakland, 31-24, before crowd of 18,372. **DECEMBER**—Offensive End Lionel Taylor, Defensive Tackle Bud McFadin and Safety Goose Gonsoulin all named to first official all-AFL team.

1961

MAY 26—Bob and Lee Howsam, original principal owners of the Broncos, sell their stock to a new syndicate headed by Cal Kunz and Gerry Phipps. **JUNE 1**—Cal Kunz named president and operating head of Empire Sports. **DECEMBER**—Lionel Taylor sets professional record with 100 pass receptions for season. Taylor and Bud McFadin named to all-AFL team. **DECEMBER**—Frank Filchok released as Broncos head coach.

1962

FEBRUARY 1—Jack Faulkner hired as Broncos head coach. **JULY 1**—Dean Griffing released as Broncos general manager. Faulkner named to dual post as head coach and general manager. **JULY**—Public burning ceremony of Broncos' notorious vertically striped socks at Broncos' intra-squad game. **AUGUST 24**—Broncos defeat Dallas Texans, 27-24, in Fort Worth in first overtime game played by the Broncos. It was also Denver's first win over the Texans. **SEPTEMBER 7**—Broncos open regular season with 31-21 win over defending western division champion San Diego before turnaway crowd at D.U. stadium. **DECEMBER**—Jack Faulkner named coach of the year in AFL. Gene Mingo set professional field goal record of 27 in a season. Eldon Danenhauer, Lionel Taylor, Goose Gonsoulin and Bob Zeman named to the official all-AFL team.

1963

JULY 18—Bronco rookies defeat Houston rookies, 17-14, before 6500 in Colorado Springs in first pro rookie game ever played. **AUGUST**—Charlie Mitchell, Tom Janik and Tom Nomina, all future Broncos, play in College All-Star game in Chicago. **DECEMBER**—Billy Joe named AFL rookie of the year. Goose Gonsoulin only Bronco to make the all-AFL team. Lionel Taylor wins fourth straight pass receiving title.

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS (CONTINUED)

1964

JANUARY—Broncos and Jets complete historic nine-player trade, largest ever made in the AFL. Broncos send Gene Prebola, Wahoo McDaniel, Gordy Holz and Bob Zeman to Jets for Dick Guesman, Ed Cooke, Charlie Janerette, Jim Price and Sid Fournet. **JANUARY 29**—AFL signs five-year television contract with the National Broadcasting Company for a record \$36,000,000. **AUGUST**—Matt Snorton and Ray Kubala, Bronco signees, play in College All-Star game. **AUGUST 14**—Broncos obtained quarterback Jacky Lee from Houston in unique "lend-lease" trade for Bud McFadin, No. 1 draft choice and cash. **SEPTEMBER 12**—Jets and Broncos open the regular season in New York's Shea Stadium before a then record crowd of 53,190 (45,665 paid). **OCTOBER 4**—Jack Faulkner released as head coach. **OCTOBER 5**—Mac Speedie accepts appointment as interim head coach. **OCTOBER 11**—Broncos win first game under Mac Speedie by defeating Kansas City, 33-27. **DECEMBER 12**—Mac Speedie named head coach. **DECEMBER**—Jim Fraser wins third straight punting title. Willie Brown named to all-AFL team. Broncos sign high draft choice Bob Breitenstein (Tulsa) and Gerry Bussell (Georgia Tech), both No. 1 picks of NFL teams.

1965

JANUARY 16—AFL meeting in Houston. Cal Kunz gives first public indication that all may not be well with Bronco franchise in Denver. **FEBRUARY 11**—Fight to retain control of franchise breaks into public focus. Gerald and Alan Phipps are pitted against "Voting Trust" made up of six principal Empire Sports stockholders and headed by Cal Kunz. **FEBRUARY 15**—Gerald and Allan Phipps purchase 52 percent of the stock of Empire Sports, thus giving them virtually 100 percent ownership and saving the Bronco franchise for Denver. **FEBRUARY 16**—Fabulous season ticket drive begins with sale of 143 season tickets, a Denver record at that time. **MARCH 5**—Record sale of 941 season tickets in one day. **APRIL 1**—Season ticket drive goal of 20,000 sales reached. Figure to reach 22,000 by May 1. **MAY 17**—Allan Phipps named president of Empire Sports, Inc. Gerry Phipps re-named Chairman of the Board. Richard S. Kitchen, Sr., and Robert T. Person named to the board of directors. **MAY 29**—Jim Burris, Bears general manager, named executive vice-president of Empire Sports, Inc., a position carrying with it the duties normally associated with those of a football general manager. **OCTOBER 3**—Broncos defeat New York, 16-13, before a then overflow crowd of 34,988. **DECEMBER 12**—Lionel Taylor makes the 500th catch of his career in game against Boston to become the first AFL player to top this figure. **DECEMBER 12**—Broncos conclude home season with total attendance of 219,786, an average of 31,398 per game. Both the total and average attendance were American Football League western division records. Six of seven home crowds topped the 30,000 mark. **DECEMBER**—Tackle Eldon Danenhauer, Split End Lionel Taylor and Fullback Cookie Gilchrist named to the all-AFL team, thus giving the Broncos more all-star players on their offensive unit than any other AFL team. John Bramlett named second in rookie of the year voting in at least two polls. Lionel Taylor wins fifth pass receiving crown and Abner Haynes wins league kickoff return championship.

1966

FEBRUARY 1—Record early-season ticket sale passes 15,000 for the 1966 season. **MARCH**—Governor Love signs into law legislative act creating a metropolitan stadium district. Voters of a four-county metropolitan region will vote on building a multi-million dollar all-purpose metropolitan stadium before March, 1967. One of provisions of the bill is that major potential tenants of the stadium, including the Denver Bears and Denver Broncos, must sign a 10-year lease before the stadium bill goes to a public vote. Bronco owners Gerry and Allan Phipps will agree to this stipulation, thus assuring the permanency of the Bronco franchise in Denver with the passage of the stadium bill by the voters. **JUNE 8**—Merger of American and National Leagues announced. Season ticket sales surge forward as enthusiastic fans crowd box office. **SEPTEMBER 19**—Ray Malavasi named Head Coach of the Broncos, replacing Mac Speedie, who resigned the previous day. **DECEMBER**—John Bramlett, Goose Gosoulin, Bob Scarpitto and Jerry Sturm chosen to play in AFL All-Star contest in January. **DECEMBER 19**—Lou Saban signs a 10-year contract as General Manager and Head Coach of the Denver Broncos.

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS (CONTINUED)

1967

FEBRUARY—Gerald Phipps named Chairman of American Football League Executive Committee. **MARCH 1**—Broncos move to new suburban executive offices with adjacent practice field and locker room facilities for both pre-season and regular season training. **MARCH 7**—Metropolitan Denver voters turn down stadium bond issue, but Bronco fans immediately organize for fund raising drive to improve Bears Stadium and keep Broncos in Denver. **MAY 17**—Floyd Little, Denver's No. 1 draft choice, signs with Broncos. Little becomes the first No. 1 choice to sign with Denver in the history of club. **MAY 24**—Cincinnati awarded 10th American Football League franchise. Will begin play in 1968. **AUGUST 5**—Broncos defeat Detroit Lions 13-7 in pre-season game at DU for AFL's first win over the NFL. **AUGUST 15**—Quarterback Steve Tensi acquired from San Diego for first round draft choices in both 1968 and 1969. **SEPTEMBER 3**—Bronco season ticket figure winds up at a (then) record 24,650. **SEPTEMBER 24**—Denver establishes a Bears Stadium one-game attendance record as 35,565 watch the Jets prevail over the Broncos 38-24. **DECEMBER**—Broncos close out season by establishing a new home attendance record of 231,801, an average of 33,114 per game. **DECEMBER**—Floyd Little paces AFL in punt returning with a 16.9 average. Bob Scarpitto repeats as punt leader with a 44.9 norm. Flanker Al Denson selected All-League in player balloting.

1968

JANUARY—Flanker Al Denson, defensive tackle Dave Costa, center Larry Kaminski and cornerback Nemiah Wilson participate in AFL All-Star game. Lou Saban and staff coach the West stars. **FEBRUARY**—Civic drive to raise \$1.8 million ends successfully and City of Denver receives stadium as a gift after purchase of the facility from Empire Sports, Inc. by non-profit group. Construction begins on 16,000 seat upper deck that will raise capacity to 50,000 for 1968 season. **SEPTEMBER 21**—Broncos move into new administrative building at 5700 Logan Street. **SEPTEMBER 28**—Broncos set all-time season ticket sale with a 27,348 figure. **NOVEMBER 10**—Denver sets all-time one-game home attendance record by playing before a capacity crowd of 50,002 against the Oakland Raiders. **DECEMBER 14**—Bears Stadium is officially re-named Denver Mile High Stadium.

1969

JANUARY 19—Dave Costa, Rich Jackson and Floyd Little participate in AFL All-Star Game in Jacksonville, Florida. **MAY 13**—Broncos set all-time season ticket sale with figure of 27,413, which is 65 more than the 1968 season sale. Figure is to hit 31,936 before regular season opens. **SEPTEMBER 21**—Denver sets all-time one-game home attendance record by playing before capacity crowd of 50,583 against the New York Jets. **OCTOBER 19**—Little rushes for 166 yards against Cincinnati, at Cincinnati . . . Top single game rushing effort by running back in either league. **NOVEMBER 2**—Denver shuts out the San Diego Chargers at Denver Mile High Stadium (13-0) . . . First shutout for Broncos in 10-year history in AFL. **DECEMBER**—Floyd Little and Rich Jackson named to first team All League. **DECEMBER**—Bill Thompson (rookie) tops AFL list in punt and kickoff returns . . . First player in 10-year history of AFL to ever hold both titles.

1970

JANUARY 17—Rich Jackson, Dave Costa, Floyd Little, Mike Current and George Goeddeke play in All-Star game on West team. **MAY 7**—Bobby Anderson, #1 draft choice in common draft held January 27, signs contract with Denver Broncos. **SEPTEMBER**—Season ticket sale hits record number of 43,584. **SEPTEMBER 27**—Broncos open home season before record Mile High Stadium crowd of 50,705 with 16-13 win over Steelers. **NOVEMBER 15**—Addition of north stand bleacher section enables new Mile High Stadium record of 50,959 to see Broncos lose narrow decision to Oakland, 24-19, in final two minutes of play. **DECEMBER 20**—Record crowd of 51,001 for final game of season as Cleveland Browns stop Denver, 27-13. **DECEMBER 20**—Floyd Little gains 44 yards to win American Conference rushing title with 901 yards. It was first rushing crown and first season Little played in all 14 games.

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS (CONTINUED)

1971

JANUARY—Richard Jackson named to official National Football League all-star team. **JANUARY**—Richard Jackson and Floyd Little make starting lineups for American Conference in first AFC-NFC Pro Bowl game. **MARCH 26**—Veterans report to Bronco training camp for first off-season camp. **APRIL 19**—Marv Montgomery, Denver's number one draft choice, signs his 1971 contract. **MAY 12**—Broncos stop sale of season tickets at record 47,500. **SEPTEMBER 19**—Broncos open season with 10-10 tie against eventual Super Bowl entry, Miami, before first of seven sell-out crowds at Mile High Stadium. **OCTOBER 24**—Denver coach Lou Saban and Broncos down Cleveland 27-0, on same field Saban starred as all-star linebacker in Cleveland. It was first time Browns were shut-out since 1952. It was also to be Saban's last victory as Bronco coach. Attendance was 75,674, largest crowd to date to view Denver. **NOVEMBER 17**—Lou Saban resigns as head coach of Broncos, a position he had held for five years. Offensive line coach Jerry Smith is named interim head coach. Saban, in December, resigns as General Manager to return to Buffalo Bills as head coach. **DECEMBER 19**—Floyd Little compiles 79 yards against Raiders in Oakland to finish as pro football's top runner with 1,133 yards. Little also becomes first Bronco to rush for more than 1,000 yards in a season.

1972

JANUARY 5—John Ralston, successful head coach at Stanford, is announced as Denver's new head coach. He later adds the title of General Manager. **FEBRUARY 28**—Broncos' Number One draft pick, Riley Odoms, TE, from Houston, inks multi-year contract. **MARCH 16**—For the first time in the history of Denver professional football, there will be no public sale of season tickets, it is reported. Season ticket holders renewed 46,500 of the 47,500 available season tickets, and further exercised their option for 8,000 additional tickets, thus assuring Denver of its third straight year of sell-outs. **APRIL 5**—Long-time Rocky Mountain Empire Sports employee Earl Hartman dies of cancer. Hartman is Treasurer of Empire Sports and Business Manager of the Broncos at the time of his death. **JULY 19**—Broncos open summer camp at Cal Poly at Pomona (Calif.) as rookies report for physicals. **AUGUST 16**—Charley Johnson, NFL veteran quarterback, becomes a Bronco as Ralston trades third round choice to Houston. Johnson will become Denver's most accurate passer (.555) in the upcoming season. **OCTOBER 29**—Floyd Little is given his "day" at Mile High Stadium before a sell-out crowd. In pre-game ceremonies, Little receives numerous gifts including a boat. However, Broncos are unable to whip Cleveland as Browns win, 27-20. Floyd's day was in honor of his winning NFL rushing championship in 1971. **DECEMBER 10**—San Diego is on short end of 38-13 score played at Mile High Stadium with the temperature at kickoff reportedly nine degrees. This is the coldest kickoff ever for a Denver team.

1973

JANUARY 30—Otis Armstrong, all-star running back from Purdue, is Denver's first round selection in annual draft. **MARCH 3**—Season ticket holders renew 47,800 of 48,000 season tickets to assure Denver again of having no public sale of season tickets. Season ticket holders asked for additional 11,000 tickets—if they become available. **OCTOBER 14**—Charley Johnson also becomes the 18th quarterback in pro football history to go over 20,000 yards lifetime as he connects for 214 yards plus three TDs to Haven Moses in a 48-20 win at Houston. **OCTOBER 22**—With "Orange Monday" banners waving, the Broncos perhaps play the most important game to date in the club's history against Oakland on national television. Denver comes back to knot the contest, 23-23, on a 35-yard field goal by Jim Turner. **NOVEMBER 25**—Denver defeats Kansas City, 14-10, on two Charley Johnson to Haven Moses passes to take over first place in the AFC West with three games to go. The win moves the Broncos to 6-3-2—the six victories the second best mark ever for a Denver team to date. **DECEMBER 9**—Denver 42, San Diego 28! The Broncos are winners at last, as Denver clinches the team's seventh victory of the season, assuring the club of a winning year. Jim Turner contributed 16 points in San Diego. **DECEMBER 16**—A tie or loss would do no good in this afternoon's game in Oakland. A win would give the Broncos the Western Division title in the AFC, but the Broncos lose 21-17.

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS (CONTINUED)

1974

JANUARY—Four Broncos, Floyd Little, Haven Moses, Riley Odoms and Paul Smith, are invited to play in the Pro Bowl, giving Denver good representation. In addition, John Ralston is named AFC Coach of the Year for guiding Denver to its first winning season ever. Odoms, incidentally, is named All-Pro by NEA. Additional honors go to Charley Johnson on offense and Paul Smith on defense for being the team's most valuable players as voted by their teammates. These two men are the 1973 winners of the Earl Hartman Memorial awards. **JANUARY 29-30**—The Broncos draft with defense in mind as three of the team's first four choices are defenders paced by Ohio State linebacker Randy Gradishar. **MARCH 1**—The Broncos announce a six-game pre-season schedule, the most games ever slated for the pre-season by Denver. **MARCH**—Only 165 of the 48,000 season tickets sold are not renewed for 1974. Denver then sells an additional 1,000, bringing the total number of season tickets sold to 49,000. **APRIL 18**—The Denver Chamber of Commerce releases survey compiled by Dr. Charles P. Rahe at the University of Colorado. The report entitled, "Economic Impact of the Denver Broncos Football Organization on the Metropolitan Economy," points out that, in 1973, over \$6 million of new money was brought into the metro area by the Broncos. **AUGUST 31**—The Broncos defeat the New England Patriots, 27-21, in Spokane, Wash. for the team's fourth victory of the summer, the most wins by a Denver team in pre-season.

SEPTEMBER 10—Denver voters pass a \$25 million bond issue to expand and improve Mile High Stadium to over 75,000 seats. The stadium was projected to be finished in time for the 1976 regular season. **SEPTEMBER 22**—The Broncos and the Pittsburgh Steelers play in the first regular season overtime game as a 35-35 score was present at the end of regulation play. Neither team scored in the sudden death period. **NOVEMBER 28**—Before a television audience estimated at 35 million, the Broncos riddle the Detroit Lions 31-27 on Denver's first Thanksgiving Day game in Detroit. **DECEMBER 8**—Denver assures itself of the team's second consecutive winning season and Otis Armstrong sets a single game rushing mark of 183 yards as the Broncos down Houston 37-14. **DECEMBER 15**—Although Denver loses at San Diego, Otis Armstrong finishes the season with 1407 yards and the NFL rushing title becoming one of a half dozen players ever to average more than 100 yards per game in pro football.

1975

JANUARY—Otis Armstrong and Riley Odoms represent the Broncos in the annual Pro Bowl game in Miami, Fla. Additional honors go to Armstrong as he is voted the top offensive player on the team. Tom Jackson was voted the top Defender and Ken Criter the top Specialist. **FEBRUARY**—Expansion of Mile High Stadium begins which will provide 63,500 capacity for the 1976 season and an ultimate capacity of 75,000 in 1977. **SEPTEMBER 29**—The Broncos defeat Green Bay, 23-13, for their first victory ever on Monday Night Football. **OCTOBER 5**—Playing before the largest crowd ever to witness a Broncos game, 79,864, Denver falls to O. J. Simpson and the Buffalo Bills, 38-14, at Buffalo. **DECEMBER 14**—Playing his last home game as a Denver Bronco, Floyd Little goes out with a bang. The club's first No. 1 draft choice to sign, Little rushes for 56 yards and one TD, catches five passes for 94 yards, including a 66-yard touchdown, to lead the Broncos to a 25-10 win over Philadelphia. Little winds up his career as the seventh all-time rusher in the NFL with 6,323 yards.

1976

JANUARY 26—Tight end Riley Odoms and linebacker Randy Gradishar are the Broncos representatives in the Pro Bowl in New Orleans. For Odoms, it is the third straight year he has played in the game, while Gradishar, making his first appearance, keeps alive the string of John Ralston's first draft choices playing in the game after their second year in the league. **MARCH 28**—Quarterback Charley Johnson announces his retirement from the National Football League after a 15-year career. Johnson, who led the club to its only two winning seasons in history in 1973 and 1974, will remain with the team as a scout and quarterback coach. **APRIL 21**—Season ticket sales are cut off at 62,215, assuring the Broncos of their seventh straight sellout season. **JUNE 27**—Lyle Alzado is one of three finalists for the man of the Year Award and Rich Upchurch is honored as the American Conference Offensive Rookie of the Year by the NFL.

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS (CONTINUED)

Players Association at its annual banquet in Chicago. **SEPTEMBER 19**—In the expanded Mile High Stadium, the Broncos whip the Jets, 46-3, before 62,669 fans, the largest crowd ever to witness a sporting event in the state of Colorado. The record will fall for each of the next three home games, the final mark being 63,431 against Oakland on October 17. **SEPTEMBER 26**—Rick Upchurch ties an NFL record by returning two punts for touchdowns in a 44-13 win over the visiting Cleveland Browns. **OCTOBER 3**—The Broncos tie a club record by winning their third game in a row, 26-0, over the San Diego Chargers. The Broncos will match the streak again later in the season. The shutout is the third in Denver's history. **OCTOBER 24**—Rick Upchurch ties an NFL record with his fourth punt return touchdown of the season in a 35-26 win over Kansas City. **NOVEMBER 7**—With two field goals and six extra points, Jim Turner becomes the fifth player in pro football history to surpass 1,200 points in a 48-13 win over Tampa Bay. **NOVEMBER 14**—The Broncos blank San Diego, 17-0, for Denver's second shutout of the season, a figure matching the team's total in its first 16 years of play. **DECEMBER 12**—The Broncos stop Chicago, 28-14, for their ninth win of the season, highest total in Denver history. Otis Armstrong rushes for 116 yards to reach 1,008 for the season, his second 1,000-yard year in his career. **DECEMBER 18**—Fred Gehrke, long-time Bronco administrator, is named general manager as the club divides duties of head coach and general manager for the first time since 1967.

1977

JANUARY 17—Rick Upchurch and Otis Armstrong are the Bronco participants in the annual AFC-NFC Pro Bowl in Seattle, won by the AFC, 24-14. **JANUARY 31**—John Ralston resigns as Head Coach of the Denver Broncos. **FEBRUARY 1**—Robert (Red) Miller, a former Bronco assistant coach, is named as the team's eighth head coach. **FEBRUARY 4**—Carroll Hardy, director of scouting for the Broncos, is named director of player personnel. **FEBRUARY 7**—Former Bronco great Floyd Little is inducted into the Colorado Sports Hall of Fame. **MARCH 13**—Ticket Manager Gail Stuckey announces that only 449 of 62,215 season tickets sold in 1976 were not renewed for 1977. Sales of additional tickets available because of stadium expansion. **APRIL 7**—In a Denver Post series by Irv Moss, it is revealed that the Broncos generated revenues of more than \$891,000 for the city of Denver in 10 home games in 1976, making the Broncos the top producer of revenue for the city of Denver among tenants of special events facilities. **MAY**—A pair of off-season camps, one for rookies and free agents and the other for veterans, get the 1977 Broncos acquainted with new coach Red Miller and his staff. **JUNE 12**—Lyle Alzado is named winner of the National Football League Players Association's Byron (Whizzer) White Award as the group's Man of the Year. Rick Upchurch is honored at the same Chicago banquet as the NFL's top punt returner. **SEPTEMBER 18**—The Broncos open their season before a record crowd of 75,007 in Mile High Stadium, shutting out the St. Louis Cardinals, 7-0. **OCTOBER 16**—Pushing their season record to 5-0, the Broncos use seven interceptions and a touchdown pass to kicker Jim Turner to trounce the defending world champion Oakland Raiders, 30-7. **NOVEMBER 27**—In a showdown of the two best records in the NFL, the Broncos get a 73-yard interception return for a touchdown by Tom Jackson to dump Baltimore, 27-13, and run their record to 10-1. **DECEMBER 4**—With a 24-14 win at Houston, the Broncos clinch a playoff berth, first in the club's history. Later in the day, the Broncos clinch the AFC Western Division championship when the Raiders fall to the Los Angeles Rams. **DECEMBER 18**—The Broncos lose to Dallas in the regular season finale, 14-6, but post the best record in the history of the franchise, 12-2, tied with Dallas for the best in the NFL. **DECEMBER 24**—Before the largest crowd ever to watch a sporting event in the state of Colorado, 75,011, the Broncos stop the Pittsburgh Steelers in the first round of playoff action, 34-21.

1978

JANUARY 1—"The miracle has happened," said KOA sports director Bob Martin. "The Broncos are going to the Super Bowl." In a hard-fought game at Mile High Stadium, the Broncos dethrone the Raiders, 20-17, for the AFC championship and a trip to the Super Bowl in New Orleans. **JANUARY 15**—"We'll be back" and "We love our Broncos" the Denver faithful chant as the Broncos fall to the Cowboys, 27-10, in the Super Bowl. **JANUARY 23**—Lyle Alzado, Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Billy Thompson and Louis Wright represent the Broncos in the Pro Bowl, the largest

Denver contingent in history. **MARCH**—Only 143 season tickets are not renewed, a new all-time low, according to ticket manager Gail Stuckey. **MAY**—Denver again holds two mini-camps to get a jump on July training camp in Fort Collins. **SEPTEMBER 3**—Broncos open defense of title by beating Oakland, 14-6 in Mile High Stadium. **OCTOBER 29**—Broncos beat Seattle, 20-17 in overtime, becoming the first NFL team ever to participate in three overtime contests in one season. **DECEMBER 3**—Broncos win by 21-6 score at Oakland, holding the Raiders without a touchdown for the second time in the season, and moving within one game of AFC West crown. **DECEMBER 10**—Denver downs Kansas City, 24-3, winning second straight division championship, as QB Craig Morton goes 19-for-22 with 16 straight completions, both second best all-time NFL marks. **DECEMBER 30**—Denver loses in the playoffs to eventual Super Bowl champion Pittsburgh Steelers, 33-10.

1979

JANUARY 29—Broncos are represented by an all-time high of seven players in the NFL Pro Bowl, including Lyle Alzado, Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Riley Odoms, Bill Thompson, Rick Upchurch, and Louis Wright. **MARCH**—Only 161 season tickets are not renewed, according to Ticket Manager Gail Stuckey, virtually assuring the Broncos of their tenth straight sellout season. **MAY**—Denver again gets ready for the coming season with two mini-camps at the club's Denver facility. **SEPTEMBER 16**—Broncos beat Atlanta in overtime, 20-17, sixth overtime contest in team history. **OCTOBER 7**—Denver shuts out San Diego, 7-0, marking first time ever for Broncos to record two shutouts in one season. Denver had opened the campaign with 10-0 win over Cincinnati. **NOVEMBER 11**—Rick Upchurch becomes the all-time pro football record holder in career punt return yardage. He set the record vs. New England, surpassing the late Emlen Tunnell's total of 2,209 yards. Upchurch concluded 1979 play with 2,288 career punt return yards. **DECEMBER 17**—San Diego defeats Denver by a 17-7 margin on final Monday night game of the season, winning Western Division title in the process. However, Denver clinched a playoff berth for the third straight year. **DECEMBER 23**—Denver loses in wild card playoff game at Houston, 13-7.

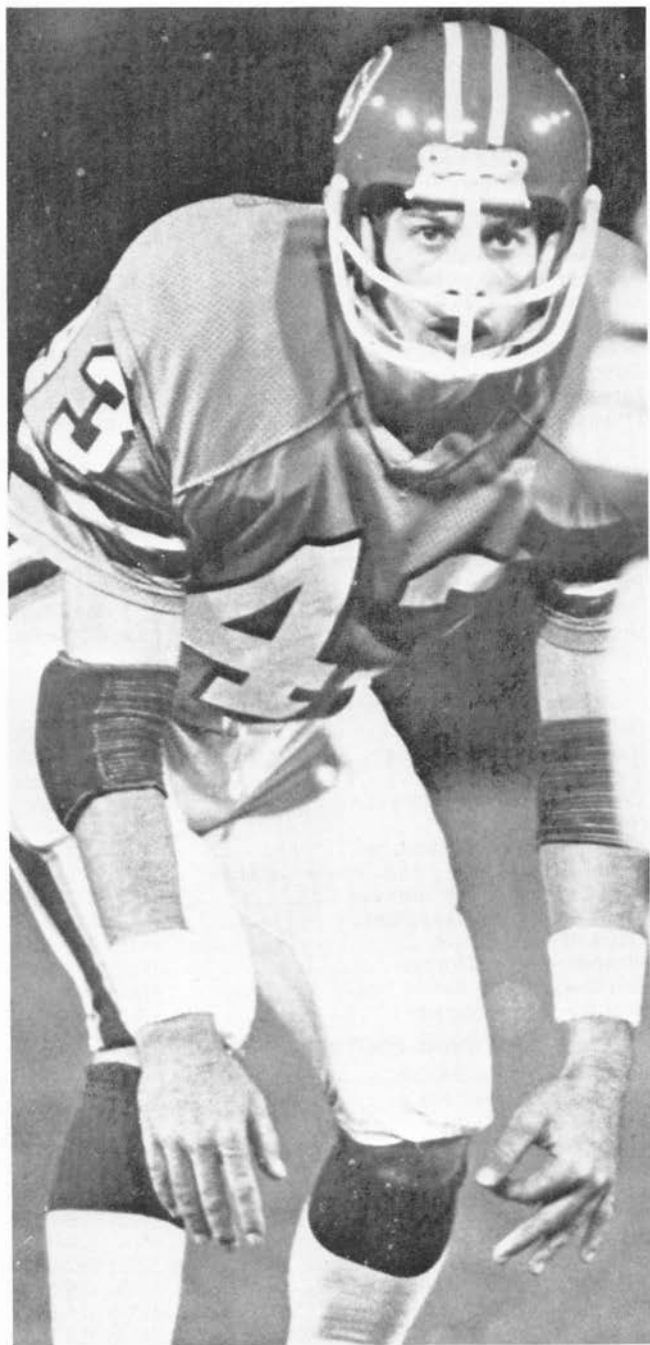
1980

JANUARY 27—The Broncos are represented in the Pro Bowl game by Randy Gradishar, Tom Jackson, Rick Upchurch, and Louis Wright. **MARCH**—Ticket Manager Gail Stuckey announces that only 146 season tickets are not renewed for 1980, virtually assuring the club of its 11th consecutive sellout campaign. **MAY**—Broncos hold rookie and veteran mini-camps in Denver. **SEPTEMBER 14**—Denver defeats Dallas, 41-20, the first Bronco victory over the Cowboys in regular season history. **OCTOBER 5**—Randy Gradishar returns interception 93 yards for a touchdown vs. Cleveland, the longest such return in team history and the NFL's longest for 1980 season. **OCTOBER 13**—Fred Steinfort kicks 57-yard field goal, tying record for third-longest kick in NFL history. **DECEMBER 21**—Steinfort kicks 53 and 55-yard field goals, becoming just sixth man in NFL history to kick two field goals from beyond 50 yards.

1981

JANUARY—Fred Steinfort is named by Pro Football Weekly as that publication's Golden Toe Award winner for the 1980 season, having tied for the league lead with 26 field goals. **FEBRUARY 25**—At a news conference at the Broncos' complex, Edgar F. Kaiser, Jr. is introduced as the new owner of the Denver Broncos, having purchased the club from principal owners Gerald H. Phipps and Allan R. Phipps. **MARCH 10**—Grady Alderman is named new General Manager of the Broncos and Dan Reeves is named as the new Head Coach. Alderman came to the Broncos from the Minnesota Vikings, where he was Director of Planning and Development. Reeves came to Denver from the Dallas Cowboys, where he had been offensive coordinator. **MARCH**—Ticket Manager Gail Stuckey announces that the Broncos are sold out for their 12th consecutive season. **MAY**—Denver again holds both rookie and veteran mini-camps, followed by a quarterback school, all in preparation for the July 14 opening of training camp in Fort Collins.

MISCELLANEOUS



Steve Foley, team interception leader for third straight year in 1980.

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CHAMPIONSHIP PLAY

AFL-AFC TITLE GAMES

1980	Oakland 34, San Diego 27	1969	Kansas City 17, Oakland 7
1979	Pittsburgh 27, Houston 13	1968	New York Jets 27, Oakland 23
1978	Pittsburgh 34, Houston 5	1967	Oakland 40, Houston 7
1977	Denver 20, Oakland 17	1966	Kansas City 31, Buffalo 7
1976	Oakland 24, Pittsburgh 7	1965	Buffalo 23, San Diego 0
1975	Pittsburgh 16, Oakland 10	1964	Buffalo 20, San Diego 7
1974	Pittsburgh 24, Oakland 13	1963	San Diego 51, Boston 10
1973	Miami 27, Oakland 10	1962	Dallas 20, Houston 17 (OT)
1972	Miami 21, Pittsburgh 17	1961	Houston 10, San Diego 3
1971	Miami 21, Baltimore 0	1960	Houston 24, Los Angeles 16
1970	Baltimore 27, Oakland 17		

NFL-NFC TITLE GAMES

1980	Philadelphia 20, Dallas 7
1979	Los Angeles 9, Tampa Bay 0
1978	Dallas 28, Los Angeles 0
1977	Dallas 23, Minnesota 6
1976	Minnesota 24, Los Angeles 13
1975	Dallas 37, Los Angeles 7
1974	Minnesota 14, Los Angeles 10
1973	Minnesota 27, Dallas 10
1972	Washington 26, Dallas 3
1971	Dallas 14, San Francisco 3
1970	Dallas 17, San Francisco 10
1969	Minnesota 27, Cleveland 7
1968	Baltimore 34, Cleveland 0
1967	Green Bay 21, Dallas 17
1966	Green Bay 34, Dallas 27
1965	Green Bay 23, Cleveland 12
1964	Cleveland 27, Baltimore 0
1963	Chicago 14, New York Giants 10
1962	Green Bay 16, New York Giants 7
1961	Green Bay 37, New York Giants 0
1960	Philadelphia 17, Green Bay 13
1959	Baltimore 31, New York Giants 16
1958	Baltimore 23, New York Giants 17 (OT)
1957	Detroit 59, Cleveland 14
1956	New York Giants 47, Chicago 7
1955	Cleveland 38, Los Angeles 14
1954	Cleveland 56, Detroit 10
1953	Detroit 17, Cleveland 16
1952	Detroit 17, Cleveland 7
1951	Los Angeles 24, Cleveland 17
1950	Cleveland 30, Los Angeles 28
1949	Philadelphia 14, Los Angeles 0
1948	Philadelphia 7, Chicago Cardinals 0
1947	Chicago Cardinals 28, Philadelphia 21
1946	Chicago Bears 24, New York Giants 14
1945	Cleveland Rams 15, Washington 14
1944	Green Bay 14, New York Giants 7
1943	Chicago Bears 41, Washington 21
1942	Washington 14, Chicago Bears 6
1941	Chicago Bears 37, New York Giants 9
1940	Chicago Bears 73, Washington 0
1939	Green Bay 27, New York Giants 0
1938	New York Giants 23, Green Bay 17
1937	Washington 28, Chicago Bears 21
1936	Green Bay 21, Boston Redskins 6
1935	Detroit Lions 26, New York Giants 7
1934	New York Giants 30, Chicago Bears 13
1933	Chicago Bears 23, New York Giants 21

SUPER BOWL RESULTS

1981	Oakland 27, Philadelphia 10 at New Orleans
1980	Pittsburgh 31, Los Angeles 19 at Pasadena
1979	Pittsburgh 35, Dallas 31 at Miami
1978	Dallas 27, Denver 10 at New Orleans
1977	Oakland 32, Minnesota 14 at Pasadena
1976	Pittsburgh 21, Dallas 17 at Miami
1975	Pittsburgh 16, Minnesota 6 at New Orleans
1974	Miami 24, Minnesota 7 at Houston
1973	Miami 14, Washington 7 at Los Angeles
1972	Dallas 24, Miami 3 at New Orleans
1971	Baltimore 16, Dallas 13 at Miami
1970	Kansas City 23, Minnesota 7 at New Orleans
1969	New York Jets 16, Baltimore 7 at Miami
1968	Green Bay 33, Oakland 14 at Miami
1967	Green Bay 35, Kansas City 10 at Los Angeles

BRONCOS 1981 ROAD GAME HOTELS

Date and City	Hotel	Telephone
Aug. 15, at Miami	Miami Marriott	(305) 649-5000
Aug. 29, at Cincinnati	Stouffer's Cincinnati Towers	(513) 352-2100
Sept. 13, at Seattle	Doubletree Plaza Hotel	(206) 246-8220
Oct. 4, at Oakland	Hyatt Oakland	(415) 562-6100
Oct. 18, at Kansas City	Crown Center Hotel	(816) 474-4400
Oct. 25, at Buffalo	Marriott Hotel	(716) 689-6900
Nov. 15, at Tampa Bay	Bay Harbor Inn	(813) 885-2541
Nov. 22, at Cincinnati	Stouffer's Cincinnati Towers	(513) 352-2100
Nov. 29, at San Diego	Islandia Hyatt House	(714) 224-3541
Dec. 20, at Chicago	Holiday Inn/Chicago City Center	(312) 787-6100

BRONCOS 1981 HALFTIME SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Guest Performers
Aug. 7	New York Jets	Monte Vista (Colo.) High School Band
Aug. 22	Green Bay	The Blue Knights (Colo.) Drum and Bugle Corps
Sept. 6	Oakland	Casper (Wyoming) Troopers Drum and Bugle Corps
Sept. 20	Baltimore	University of New Mexico
Sept. 27	San Diego	Heritage (Littleton, Colo.) High School Band
Oct. 11	Detroit	Colorado State University Band
Nov. 2	Minnesota	Alameda (Lakewood, Colo.) High School Band
Nov. 8	Cleveland	University of Northern Colorado Band
Dec. 6	Kansas City	Douglas County (Colo.) High School Band
Dec. 13	Seattle	Denver Public Schools All-City Band

MILE HIGH STADIUM

Mile High Stadium, home of the Denver Broncos, once again was filled for every home date during the 1980 National Football League regular season. The Broncos brought their consecutive regular season sellout streak to 80 games and concluded 11 years of sellouts at Mile High Stadium.

Expansion of the stadium, begun in 1975, was completed for the 1977 season to give the Broncos the seventh largest home facility in the league.

Denver voters passed a \$25 million bond issue in 1974 to expand and improve the stadium from its capacity of 51,706 to 75,103. The stadium held 63,532 for the 1976 season, halfway through the project.

Making Mile High Stadium unique, however, is its movable east stands. The east stands move in a single section which, when fully extended, is in a horseshoe configuration for football. When the section is retracted, the stadium is in position for baseball.

The dynamics involved in the move are fascinating. First, bear in mind that the east stands section is a three-tiered structure, 535 feet long, 135 feet tall and 200 feet deep, weighing nearly nine million pounds. Second, the stands must be moved a distance of 145 feet.

How is it done? The answer, says DMJM-Phillips-Reister, the engineering-architectural firm in charge of the project, is water.

More than 90,000 square feet of runways serve as the operating surfaces over which the stands will move. Water is pumped onto the runways and form a .003 inch sheet upon which the stands rest. Hydraulic rams then push the stands forward at the rate of three feet per minute, making the move last somewhere around two hours.

Originally called Bears Stadium, the facility was built in 1948 for the Denver Bears of baseball's old Western League, with long-range plans to utilize it for football as well. When Denver became a charter member of the American Football League in 1959, the south stands (8,100 seats) and portable east stands (9,616 seats) were added to give a capacity of 34,657 for football.

After Denver voters turned down a stadium bond issue to build an all-purpose metropolitan stadium in 1967, a non-profit group began a fund-raising drive with the goal of purchasing the stadium for the city.

In February of 1968, the group bought the stadium from Rocky Mountain Empire Sports for \$1.8 million and presented it to the city of Denver. A 16,000-seat upper deck was immediately constructed over the west stands, raising the capacity to over 50,000 for the 1968 season. In December of 1968, the stadium was renamed Denver Mile High Stadium.



SCHEDULING

The master NFL schedule, as it applies to the Denver Broncos (and also to other AFC West teams) for 1982:

EACH TEAM:

A. Home-and-home games with the four teams in the AFC West (Oakland, San Diego, Kansas City and Seattle). Total: 8 games.

B. One game with teams #1-4 (referring to placings) in a division of the other conference. In 1982, this will be the NFC West. Sites will depend upon order of finish within the divisions (see subsequent notes). This step does not apply to the fifth place team in the AFC West.

FIRST PLACE TEAM IN AFC WEST:

B. Home: NFC West #1, NFC West #3; Away: NFC West #2, NFC West #4. Total: 4 games.

C. One game with each of the two other first place teams in the AFC and each of the two other fourth place teams in the AFC. Home: AFC East #1, AFC Central #4; Away: AFC East #4, AFC Central #1. Total 4 games.

SECOND PLACE TEAM IN AFC WEST:

B. Home: NFC West #2, NFC West #4; Away: NFC West #1, NFC West #3. Total 4 games.

C. One game with each of the two other second place teams in the AFC and each of the two other third place teams in the AFC. Home: AFC East #2, AFC Central #3; Away: AFC East #3, AFC Central #2. Total: 4 games.

THIRD PLACE TEAM IN AFC WEST:

B. Home: NFC West #1, NFC West #3; Away: NFC West #2, NFC West #4. Total: 4 games.

C. One game with each of the two other second and third place teams in the AFC — Home: AFC East #3, AFC Central #2; Away: AFC East #2, AFC Central #3. Total: 4 games.

FOURTH PLACE TEAM IN AFC WEST:

B. Home: NFC West #2, NFC West #4; Away: NFC West #1, NFC West #3. Total: 4 games.

C. One game with each of the other first place and fourth place teams in the AFC — Home: AFC East #4, and AFC Central #1; Away: AFC East #1, AFC Central #4. Total: 4 games.

FIFTH PLACE TEAM IN AFC WEST:

B. One game with each of teams #1-4 of the four-team division in the AFC—Home: AFC Central #2, AFC Central #4; Away: AFC Central #1, and AFC Central #3. Total: 4 games.

C. Home-and-home games with the other fifth place team in the AFC—Home: AFC West #5; Away: AFC East #5. Total: 2 games.

D. One game with each of the fifth place teams in the NFC—Home: NFC East #5; Away: NFC Central #5. Total: 2 games.

Broncos Radio Network

For the twelfth consecutive season, Denver's 50-thousand watt station KOA (850) will serve as the flagship station for a Denver Broncos game broadcast network that will cover the states of Colorado, Arizona, Idaho, Nebraska, New Mexico, South Dakota, Utah and Wyoming.

Bob Martin, radio "voice" of the Broncos since 1964, will again be calling the play-by-play account of the games, with Larry Zimmer, who joined the broadcast team in 1971, again doing the color commentary.

Martin was named Colorado Sportscaster Of The Year for the twelfth consecutive year in 1980.

The confirmed list of network stations includes 50 stations over the nine-state area and there may be more added prior to the beginning of regular-season play. The confirmed list is as follows:

COLORADO

KOA Denver
KGIW Alamosa
KCMP Brush/Fort Morgan
KBOL Boulder
KLGT Breckenridge
KRLN Canon City
KRDO Colorado Springs
KRAI Craig
KRSJ Durango
KCOL Fort Collins
KMTS Glenwood Springs
KREX Grand Junction
KFKA Greeley
KVLE Gunnison
KBZZ La Junta
KLMR Lamar
KLRR Leadville
KLMO Longmont
KUBC Montrose
KPAG Pagosa Springs
KZLO Pueblo
KVRH Salida
KBCR Steamboat Springs
KVMT Vail
KJCO Yuma
KRZD Wray

ARIZONA

KCKY Coolidge

GEORGIA

WISK Americus

IDAHO

KEEP Twin Falls

NEBRASKA

KODY North Platte

KOLT Scottsbluff

NEW MEXICO

KZIA Albuquerque

KENN Farmington

KOVO Gallup

KRSN Los Alamos/Santa Fe

SOUTH DAKOTA

KTOQ Rapid City

UTAH

KWMS Salt Lake City

WYOMING

KTWO Casper

KUUY Cheyenne

KIML Gillette

KSGT Jackson

KMER Kemmerer

KODI Cody/Powell

KOJO Laramie

KOVE Riverton/Lander

KRKK Rock Springs

KTHE Thermopolis

KWOR Worland

KEVA Evanston

KMMZ Lowell/Greybull

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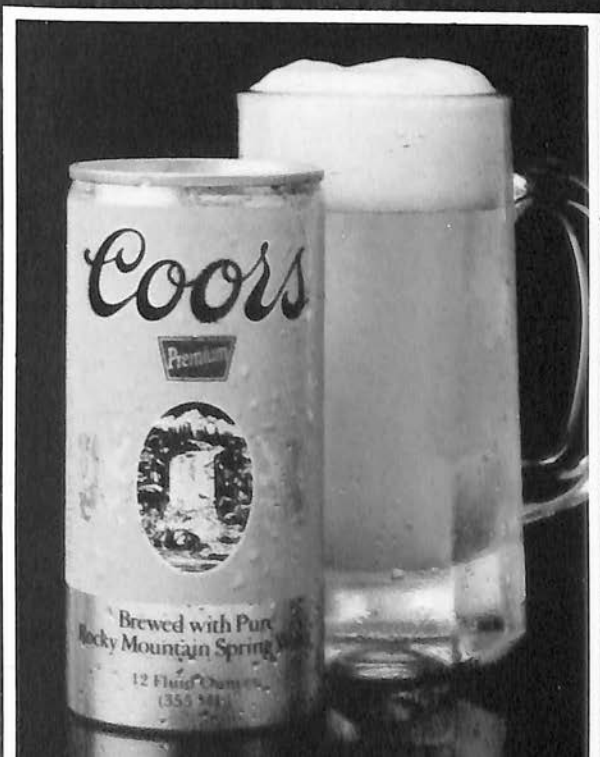
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